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RTHUR MORSE REVIEWS SITUATION

Over To Vyshinsky

President Eisenhower and the other by Mr Cabot Lodge the American delegate to the United Nations, have captured world attention this week. Mr Lodge's "ten facts which the world blot ud bluoda constituted damning indictment of Soviet Russin's active participation in the Korean war. There has never been any illusions about Russia's determination to sustain the Communist combatants, but the entalogue of weapons and materials which the Soviets have supplied to the Chinese and North Korean Reds shows that Russia, short of putting troops into the field, has been and continues to be the dominating protagonist in the Korean conflict. And no matter to what extent Mr Vyshinsky may deny Mr Lodge's facts, free and enlightened world opinion will remain satisfied that the indictment has been proved. It is not to be expected, however, that the Soviet delegates will feel either concerned or embarrassed by the accusalevelled against Russin, They are not attending the United Nations General Assembly with the intention of helping to find a solution to the Arthur Morse said: ordered to obey the dictates | and

of the Kremlin,

TAR Vyshinsky has yet to reply to the American delegates will be waiting to should have resulted in some the outlook perplexing. see if the Soviet delegate contraction in our figures. move other than that proposed in the Indian resolution dealing with the POW issue which the Communist Russia alone which can now break the deadlock. Refusal to do so amounts to self-condemnation of motives and principles. But if, by deliberately prolonging the decrease is partly off-set by an increase in Cash Balances of

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HONGKONG'S FINANCES REMAIN IN A HIGHLY SATISFACTORY CONDI-TION, WHILE GOOD PROGRESS HAS BEEN MADE IN ALL THE SERVICES PROVIDED BY GOVERNMENT, SAID SIR ARTHUR MORSE, CBE, WHEN ADDRESS-ING SHAREHOLDERS THIS MORNING AT THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. HE ALSO EMPHA-SISED THAT INDUSTRIALISATION IN THE COLONY CONTINUES TO FORGE AHEAD.

political aspect.

freedom keeps silence.

POTENTIALITIES

FULLY JUSTIFIED

In a comprehensive review of the political, financial and economic situation in Asia, Sir Arthur also made these points: O "I think I can fairly say that during the past year the Eastern political situation as a whole did not deteriorate even though stability was lacking. Hopes of an early settlement in Korea have unfortunately been shattered; this naturally gives rise to nervousness and makes the outlook perplexing."

"The Chancellor of the Exchequer invented the slogan 'Trade Not Aid' which has been adopted as Covernment policy. If the basic principle as stated by the Chancellor were to be accepted and adopted by authoritative circles in the United States ... not only would the Dollar Cap be less menacing but there would be also better prospects for improvement of the standards of living in Southeast Asia."

o "Rice is a pan-Asiatic problem which particularly affects the countries in which we are most interested. It is becoming a far more serious problem than is generally recognised . . . the present situation is one which gives rise to great disquiet.

Korean war problem, but to amoute to HK\$17,321,405 after parts of the world, and partitle their power, any endeavours their power, any endeavours contingencles, out of which re- which the Bank operates, have in this direction. Their serves full provision has been been more than usually difficult contempt for world opinion made for all bad and doubtful throughout the year and has long been established; debts and for the further writing Directors consider that, likewise their cynical dis- down of our Investments, which the existing unsettled political regard of the losses and appear in our Balance Sheet at conditions, it is essential to consufferings of the Chinese below market values. The tinue to pursue a conservative balance of profit brought for financial policy. and North Koreans who are ward from last year is \$8,075,332 distribution accordingly amounts to \$25,396,737. As in previous I come to consider what should

rayaged by plague-carrying crease in our figures. The total air attacks and at the same two previous years increased by sky, the General Assembly which we are most interested

indicated that they are pre- Accounts and a decrease of some pared to make no further £21/2 millions in Acceptances on behalf of Customers.

On the Assets side the general bloc rejected at the previous recession in trade has resulted in Assembly session, and which to £38 millions in our holdings was subsequently turned of Bills Receivable, which down by the Peking Govern- decrease would have appeared turn in the tide and Burma has ment. Mr Vyshinsky still even greater had it not been good grounds for hoping that ment. Mr Vyshinsky still even greater had it not been has his chance of indicating of has his chance of indicating of serious and increase of has his chance of indicating of serious and increase of has his chance of indicating of serious and increase of he insurgents will no longer be try concerned.

The Enancement of Exchequer decided to adopt a monetary policy as the monetary policy as with the armistice question ling of British Government along these lines, or by cluded in this figure, Decreases which could be acceptable millions respectively are also to the United Nations. It is shown in Advances to Customdeliberately prolonging the decrease is partly off-set by an Korean conflict, the Soviets increase in Cash Balances of increase in this constitution is one which gives rise to increase in Cash Balances of increase in this constitution is one which gives rise to increase in the increase in Cash Balances of increase in the what is honourable and just, Money at Call the overall perthey are sadly misleading centage of these two items to

POLITICAL SURVEY

Each year at this time when years, it is recommended that a be said about political developsum of \$3 millions be appro- ments in the East during the charges. He will probably priated to write down the value period under review I feel inconcentrate on making of Bank Premises and after clined to -- pass the -- subject by counter - accusations along allowing for this amount, the and to confine myself to a few interim dividend of £2 per remarks on trade. But I realise America's alleged indulgence share and the final dividend of that this would be to shirk an £3 per share is now proposed, important duty to shareholders there remains a balance of who undoubtedly have a right views are on the political in China is completed with aspects of affairs. The business ing our position and with- Co-operation Administration, for there would be three supple- in British troops from the Supplementary and the Communist Party. She was treatment of prisoners of \$9,489,174 to be carried forward to know what their Board's civilians. None of these charges can in any way be substantiated. In fact, as one writer has pointed out, of some £33 millions cyer last it is fatuous for Russia to learn that the whole of there has been in the post-war claim that the whole of there has been in the post-war. that the whole of there has been in the post-war international tug-of-war and of foreign trade in the maintenance of military her mark of the hargain the trade in the maintenance of military her mark of the hargain the trade in the maintenance of military her mark of the hargain the trade in the maintenance of military her mark of the hargain the trade in the maintenance of military her mark of the hargain the trade in the maintenance of military her mark of the hargain that the maintenance of military her mark of the hargain that the maintenance of military her mark of the hargain that the maintenance of military her mark of the hargain that the maintenance of military her mark of the hargain that the maintenance of military her mark of the hargain that the maintenance of military her mark of the hargain that the maintenance of military her mark of the hargain that the maintenance of military her mark of the hargain that the maintenance of military her mark of the hargain that the maintenance of military her mark of the hargain that the maintenance of military her mark of the hargain that the maintenance of military her mark of the hargain that the maintenance of military her mark of the hargain that the maintenance of military her mark of the hargain that the maintenance of military her mark of the hargain that the mark of the hargain that the mark of the hargain that the mark of the mark of the hargain that the mark of the mark of the hargain that the mark of the hardain that the mark of the hard is being years a very considerable ingue-carrying at the same at time boast that the Com- over £85 millions and last I can fairly say that which is growing at the rate of accepted and adopted by munists in North Korea year's figures constituted an allhave operating a highly time record in the history of efficient military organisa- the Bank. It is not surprising, did not deteriorate over though the national income of the bank. It is not surprising, did not deteriorate over though the national income of the bank. therefore, that the fall in the did not deteriorate even though these countries is low in com- being accepted by many far-secvalue of primary commodities stability was lacking. Hopes of parison with that of Western ing Americans and apparently by most certainly will come and the general recession in the unfortunately been is rapidly raising its standard would the Dollar Gap be less from the lips of Mr Vyshin- during the year in the areas in chattered: this naturally gives of living and in order to meet menacing but there would be

has any concrete proposal to Balance Sheet the contraction strengthened their position as a last o pay for the import comneeded than just external action make for resolving the Balance sheet the contraction strengthened their position as a modities which are in ever- needed than just external action make for resolving the in this year's figures is reflected result of the popular elections. The United Nations have Current, Deposit and Other succeeded, in spite of critical therefore adequate scope for the modity outlook. The Governcountry in a stable and orderly resources to these areas, established her political position in the world.

TURN OF TIDE . Mulaya has seen a definite carty part of 1952. thomselves. our total Liabilities to Custom: country has serious economic the East which badly needs (Continued on Page 4) United Press.

countries, to discontent and possibly to popular revolts against established governments which are naturally held blame for any deterioration in conditions. Here there is fertile ground for political agitation by unscrupulous agitators with dubious or false ideological axes to grind. In such a state of affairs reactions are felt throughout the world and thus also the industrial ecuntries are affected. This fact was pointed out by the influential Paley Commission, which was set up

by President Truman to whom Addressing shareholders, Sir ers has increased since inst difficulties and if they cannot be it made a lengthy report last by a lengthy report last lengthy report contained the lengthy report contained the lengthy report contained the lengthy report contained the This brings me to China in its final summing up:which at the present time is "If we fail to work for a closely following the Russian rise in the standard of living in line although there are some the rest of the free world, we

raising. If, then, prices are depressed, the result may well

lead to unfortunate consequences

to the economy of producing

prophets who foretell that one thereby hamper and impede the day this role may be changed further rise of our own and Were it equally lesson the chances of for China's serious in- democracy to presper and peace volvement in Korea the out- to reign the world over." look for her economic develop- Naturaly we hope that ment and for the new Five statement such as this by an

It would be a mistake to deny sion will be given that great feats have been but, as our Malayan friends Egypt would be on equal footing be to ensure that Egypt will placed under house arrest today that great feats have been know so well, there is a wide with other member states. eccomplished in railway know so well, there is a wide with other member states. construction and agricultural gap between preaching and pracproduction, but the fundamental tice. truth about China cannot easily ----- SLOGAN AS POLICY

the work of the Point IV proin China is conflued to liquidat- Agency and of the Technical her troops from the Canal Zone, with others. I think that possibly 500 million people by the Chancellor were to be the Francisco to gether with an early settlement in Korea countries, it is clear that Asia the Palcy Commission) not only rise to nervousness and makes the demands of the people also better prospects for imvigorous efforts are being made provement of the standards of Undoubtedly the Governments to expand the production and living in South-East Asia. On the Liability side of the of India and Ceylon have export of primary products so deliberately use the words "bet-India's outstanding leaders have increasing demand. There is to improve the trading and comperiods, in maintaining the diversion of our energies and ments of the East need to play their part and that is a vital tonight took drastic action During the past year we have one, but one thing I would urgo of the loss of that great states- seen that one of Her Majesty's most strongly—that no attemps man, the late Prime Minister Government's main preoccupa- should be made to introduce pre-war rate of criminal violence. Mr D. S. Senemayake, has tions has been to try and bridge industrialisation on a rapid or the threat to the sterling area's wiser to concentrate all availgold reserves which was grow- able dapital and energies on Cosh Bill", which the Home ing increasingly serious in the food and agricultural production and on those ancillary industries Fyde, said would enable policewhich depend upon the raw The Chancellor of the materials available in the coun- before he uses his cosh."

> continues to prevail. The have been fully justified by the other food grains, oils and fats, Philippines have many con- outcome of events. I do not fibres, sugar, tea, tobacco and troversial issues to solve but propose to dwell on the technithere does not seem to be a cal aspects of the Dollar portance. Rice is a pan-Asiatic problem, but I wish to remind problem which particularly changes. The Indonesian you of the fact that the countries affects the countries in which Government is unfortunately in which this Bank operates we are most interested. It is climber. Richard : Burdsall, 57, faced with dangerous and (with the exception of Japan) becoming a far more serious died from exposure and ex-

Bank's New Chief Manager



Mr Michael W. Turner, who succeeds Sir Arthur Morse as Chief Manager of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, photographed at his desk .--Staff Photographer.

British Proposals Fol Canal Zone Reported Drafted

London, Feb. 26.

gest, if needed, that Atlantic

before Egyptian public opinion

who had said that Egypt would

Well-informed sources here

Informed sources here said tonight that the to complete the required formal-British cabinet had drafted broad outlines of proposals to be made shortly by Britain to Egypt on becomes and poying on Chinese defence of the Suez Canal zone.

This source said that Britain would make two main proposals:

(1) That Egypt should agree, the technicians in the Canal that the Suez Canal zone should | Zone to be "neutrals." continue to be the corner stone | Britain is not expected to of the Middle East defence accept this proposal and to sug-

That would mean co-operation | pact technicians be selected. by Egypt's military forces and

the Canal Zone proper within evacuate the Canal Zone, there- portation order. ancertained while strict. It is true that for some years the general framework of the regimentation persists and true the United States has been able Middle East Defence Organisa-

to point with justifiable pride to tion. It was also believed that before the British have evacuated from Now that our banking interest gramme of the Mutual Security Britain would agree to withdraw the Canal Zone.

bases in the Canal Zone.

WANTS "NEUTRALS" It is understood here that the Egyptian Prime Minister and Commander-in-Chief. General Mchammed Naguib, has aiready pointed out that he would like

Action Against Cosh' Boys

London, Feb. 26. against thugs, or "cosh boys", Secretary, Sir David Maxwell men to "cope with the cosh boy

Mendoza, Argentina, Feb. 26.

Seizure Of Canton Properties

Britain Expected To Protest

Peking against the seizure British-owned wharves and warehouses in Canton, it is understood from an authoritativé source.

The properties, which include two wharves and 10 warehouses, are the property of the China Navigation Company, a subsidiary of the great British China shipping and general trading concern of Butterfield and Swire.

The properties have been teized by the local Chinese nuthorities.

This follows extensive seizure of British property in Shanghal,

Early last summer the British China firms announced their intention to wind up business in China because they considered that trading conditions had become impossible under the Communist Government.

But despite diplomatic support from the British Embassy in Peking most British bitsinessmen In China, numbering between 600 and 700, have not yet been permitted by the Chinese authorities

These include acquiring exit

Under House Arrest

New York, Feb. 28. Then and for the new five important presidential commis-Year Plan would be far happier. Important presidential commis-Year Plan would be far happier. Sion will be given full weight in mind her main task in born wife of the former United military organisation in which commission in wh (2) Egyptian forces would be enter the Middle East Defence because she was too ill to be responsible for the defence of Organisation if Britain were to taken from her flat on a de-

> by saving General Naguib's face consider entering MEDO, after yesterday it was alleged that she entered the United States 20 years ago as an alien belonging to, or affiliated with,

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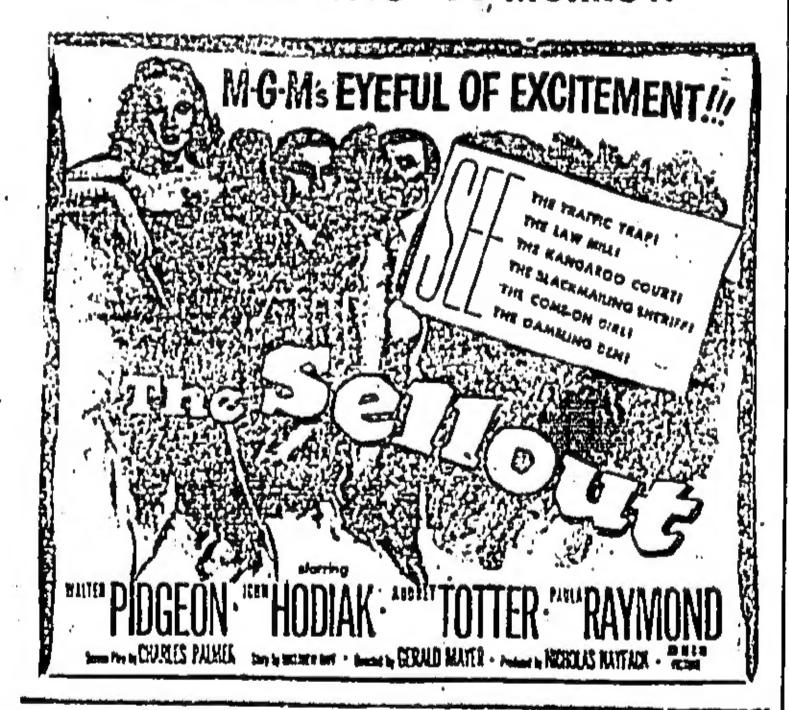
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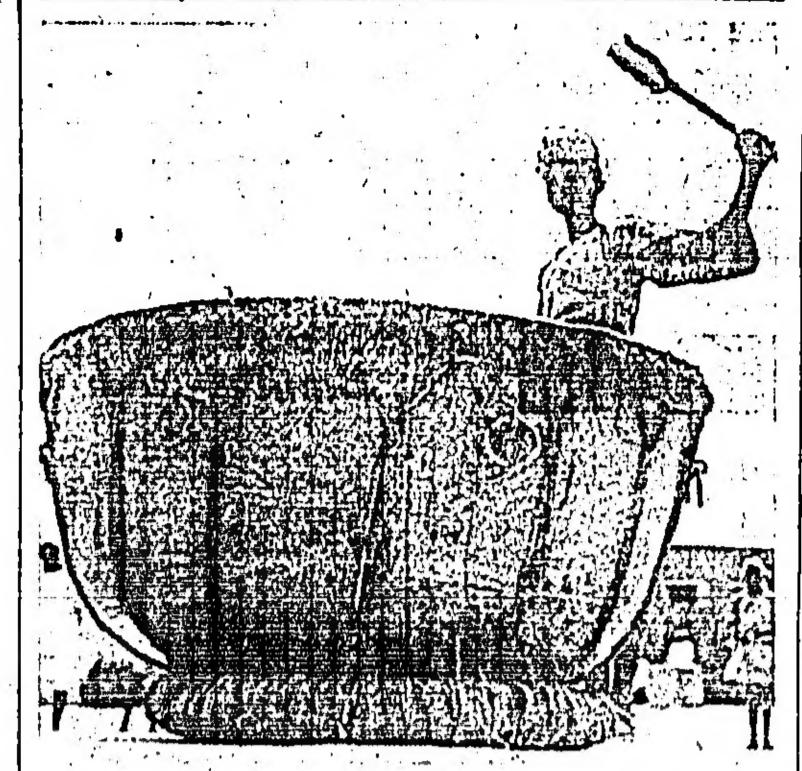
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British Rocket Research On



This huge drum is made of copper and Fasher, in the Sudan, as the local "Big Ben," with a Sudanese striking out the hours. The drum was sent to All Dinar, the Black Sultan of Dariur, Western Sudan, by the Turkish Caliph in Istanbul, before the first world war. The Black Sultan was a despot whose reign of terror ended with his death in 1916. -Express Photo.

New Defence Moves Expected In Far East

Washington, Feb. 26.

BRADLEY TO SPEAK

The importance of Republic

Far Eastern strategy will be

Violent Quake

Mobile, Alabama,

Recorded

in Far Eastern defence.

Reliable diplomatic sources said today that Far East defence strategy involving Korea and Indo-China and close liaison between the Republic of Korea and Vicinamese forces would soon make public must, for security reasons, remain unaware of the important strides. 🕏

These Far Eastern moves are also expected to result in closer liaison between the French General Staff in Indo-China and the Australian Defence Department in Melbourne.

They expected Marshal Alphonse Juin, who is now in Indo-China, to confer with General Omar Bradley, chairmay have real value in future Sir Frank Spriggs, KBE, man of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, Australian defence policy in the managing director of the Hawker immediately on his return to Far East, Siddeley group said "Rockets reach Paris on March 7 to see a defence exercise at SHAPE plans for Scuthcast Asia in the life apposited these shortly after.

Headquarters and Marshal Juin event of open Chinese aggression "We have enough research at the life presidential elections."

These reasons were:

1.—Republican falsehoods is expected there shortly after- against Indo-China.

The sources expected Marshal Juin's visits to General Mark! Clark's Headquarters in Japan and to the fighting fronts in of Korea and Vietnamese forces Korea and Indo-China to result in the fight against aggression by Mr R. J. Woodhams, brother in close co-ordination of tastics in the Far East will be in close co-ordination of tactics between the two war fronts and emphasised in an important

A French-Vietnamese military mission will leave Indo-China this week for Korea, to inaugurate a series of Haison discussed here by the French visits between the Republic of Premier, M. Rene Mayer, and Korea and the Vietnamese the Foreign Minister, forces, which are likely to re- Georges Bidault, when they sult in permanent Kerean and arrive here on an official visit Vietnamese missions being at-tached to each other's head-quarters.

On- or about March 27. The French Government is anxious that State and Defence Depart-

The purpose of the French-Vietnamese mission is chiefly to study Republic of Korea training methods to see what can be usefully applied to the training of Vietnam forces.

ment officials be fully briefed by them on the Elsenhower Administration's policies in the Far East, especially as regards Indo-China, as M. Mayer and M. Bldault are bringing their

the Far East, including those of Embassy in Paris they were d'Affaires, had to leave Yugo-the Philippines, but so far no anxious for both sides to meet slavia on February 13, the plans are afoot to send a Republic of Korea or Vietnamese
military mission to the Philipmilitary mission to the Philipmi

policies.-United Press. High United States and French Staff officers attach great importance to close linison between the armed forces of the Far Eastern nations, General Bradley considers such visits of great importance to enable Staff officers of the different armed forces to know each other on personal terms.

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66VOLCANO?

Eve Of Big Developments "FANTASTIC DREAMS NEARING REALITY"

London, Feb. 27. A team of British and Australian experts is leaving here today to set up the world's first privately-owned rocket station in Australia.

The Hawker-Siddeley group of companies announced that it is building a factory devoted exclusively to rockets and guided missiles at Salisbury, near Adelaide, South Australia.

The well-known British aircraft manufacturers mid new station would be in effect a field trial centre, in communication with Coventry Bevan Makes where basic research had been carried out since the war at the factory of Armstrong-Whitworth - the big armament works - under very heavy sccurity.

The statement baid that launching ramps, electronic gear, calibration and other test equipment was now being installed.

Mr H. M. Woodhams, managing director of Armstrong Whitworth, said: "We plan to carry out exhaustive shooting tests into the

strate-and tenospheres, and beyond. This is a private en-terprise venture of the Hawker Siddeley group in which a great deal of money is being invested. "We are, of course, working with departments of both the British and Australian Govern-

NEAR REALITY

"It is a great pity that the immense and magnificent facilities placed by the Australian Government at the disposal of the Commonwealth rocket pro-

"Our research now indicates that we are on the threshold of great new developments. We

Paris. General Bradley is to M. Letourneau's talks in Mel- and guided missiles are the next

the back of us at this stage to convince us that investment in this new field is worthwhile. Our group proposes to be in the. yanguard",

The team leaving today is led of Mr H. M. Woodhams, result in an exchange of views on this subject between Marshal will make at Palm Beach, Black, John W. Cooper, all Others in the team on this subject between Marshal will make at Palm Beach, Black, John W. Cooper, all Juin and General Bradley in Florida, on March 2, in which British, and three Australians, he will tell the American public of the responsibilities involved and Steven Hart.—Reuter.

Bulgarian Protest To Yugoslavia

London, Feb. 26. of Vietnam forces.

FUTURE CONTACTS

The visit would lay the foundation for future contacts between other Armed forces of formed the United States between other Armed forces of Fighessy in Paris they were

> A Note described the Yugo-slav action as the result of a policy against peace and security in the Balkans in line with "the war plans and preparations of the aggressive Atlantic bloc", the agency sald. Yugoslavia sent a Note to

in Sofia.—Reuter.

Forecast

Madras, Feb. 26. Ancurin Beyan, Britain's former Health Minister and initiator of the National Health Service, said here today all countries in the worldeven the United Stateswould eventually come round to adopting such a

scheme. Mr Bevan, who was addressing the Indian Medical Association, said: nation which cares will tolerate the achievements of modern science being shut off from a large section of the population on account of bad organisation or poverty."

Lack of resources could be no reason for not starting similar scheme in Lodia, Mr Bevan sald.—Reuter.

Stevenson Writes On Campaign

New York, Feb. 26. Mr. Adlui Stevenson today gave six reasons for his defeat

1.—Republican falschoods his governorship of

2.—Republican charges linking him with Alger Hiss.

3.—President Elsenhower's trip to Korea.

4.—The Republican "time for a change" slogan. 5.—President Elsenhower's "great popularity."

6.-A few wrong guesses. Mr Stevenson discussed the presidential campaign in an article in Life magazine entitled "A Candidate Tells A Candid

It will be incorporated into the introduction of a book of Mr Stevenson's campaign speeches to be published next month,

Mr Stevenson said that before the campaign got under way he feared that it would turn largely on "Korea, corruption and Communists in the Government etc."

He said that these were not really the controversial issues between him and Mr Elsenhower. That was why, he said, he had tried to "talk sense." He had ussumed that the Korean war would not be a "politicallyfruitful tree to shake during the campaign." He decided early in August that if he were elected he would make a quick journey to Japan, Korea and India.

"We kept the plan secret, fearful that it might be construed Bulgaria on January 29 declaring that the should either give
as just a political gesture. This
may have been a mistake and
that the Yugoslav Embassy while I cannot approve the The French Minister for the recorded on the seismograph of normally or recoil three Korea and the implication of an States of Indo-China, M. Jean Spring Hill College near here Bulgarian representatives in carly settlement or the mislead-letourneau, will pay an official this morning.

Belgrade,

Belgrade,

The first to add the right thing to It was believed that the This reduced the staff of the I think he did the right thing to epicentre was situated West of Embassy to the same number go out there and that we will Nicaragua and North of Costa as the Yugoslav representation all benefit from his first-hand information."-United Press,

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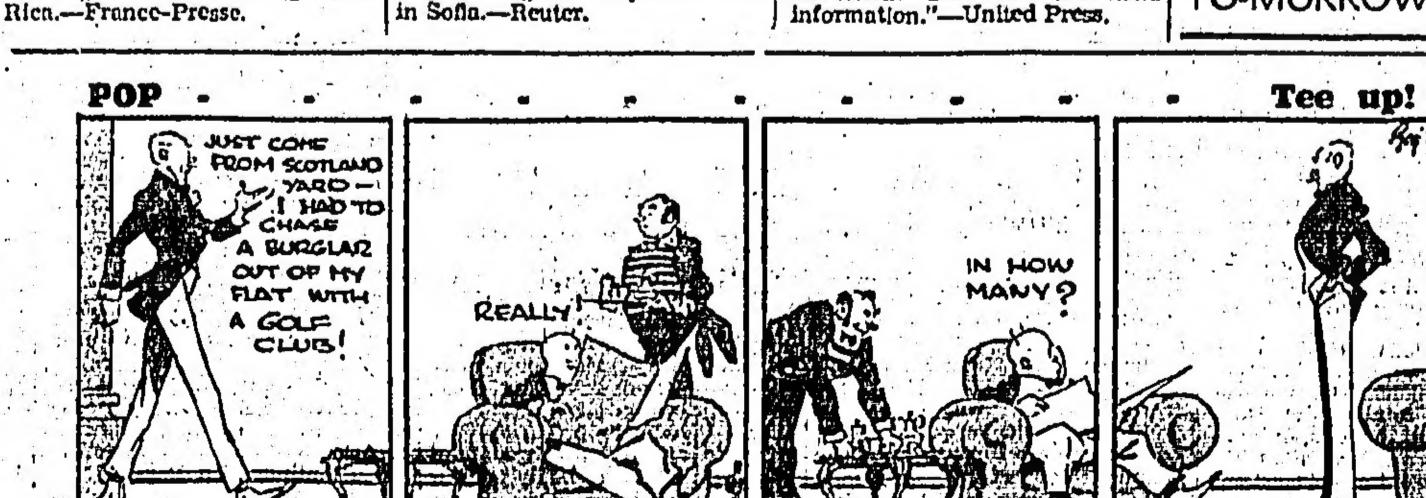
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Britain Planning Big Textile Sales Drive

Manchester, Feb. 26, Britain is planning a new gales drive to fight Japanese and other foreign competition in cotton textiles in British African Colonies.

other Langashice cotton men a co-operative marketing scheme Distribution of seats will be! houses of Parliament. A vote Council and other organs would for cotton textiles.

The scheme needs the cooperation of all sections of the industry to assure adequate and l continuous supplies of the right types of cloth for the African Colonies-at prices cheap enough | to effectively counter genpetition from Japanese and other foreign producers.

Sir Frank Platt, Vice-Chairman of the Lancashire Cotton Corporntion, one of the World's tonight.

posed sales drive is the fact that, | Saar 3. despite local import restrictions, Japan has been selling more Council will be the Government cotton textiles in the British of the European Community. Commonwealth Colonies than

Britain herself. At the International Cotton Derbyshire, last autumn, the Senate with an absolute applies to the Council of measures could only be launched National Ministers, which will in the second year of existence tion of winning back its world of the Council, appointed by take over the work of the Coun- of the community and only by markets and, raising total cotton ; cloth exports by more than 50 per cent over the 1951 level .-

P.O. Experts

Liverpool, Feb. 26: Two British post office officials leave here on Saturday for India where they will act as advicers to the Indian Government on the mechanisation of the Indian portal services. They are Mr Frank Wyait of London. They are going to

for aid to under-developed areas. also visit other postar centres is hoped to attract the support whether a condemnatory resolu- economic barriers between their Calcutta and Madras,

western region of the General charges of anti-Semitism behind Post Office. Mr Smith is a the Iron Curtain. technical consultant in the Battle plans for a sweeping London region.-Reuter.

· ACROSS

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8 Notifying (8).

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Poems (4).

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Illad author (5).

Will Be Submitted To The Strasbourg Assembly

Paris, Feb. 26. Parliamentarians from France, the three Benelux countries, Italy and Western Germany tonight finished drafting a European supranational constitution for submission to the Strasbourg Pre-Constituent Assembly on

March 6. The 113-article draft was adopted by 21 votes to four with four abstentions. The French Socialist leader, Guy Mollet, was among the

abstainers. The main points of the draft constitution are:

63, Belgium 30, Holland 30 and Chamber will be valid only if powers. Luxembourg 12. The Chamber will be elected of the deputies.

for a five-year period. Chamber but no final decision European government belonging countries. was taken on the strength of to the European Community

leading spinning combines, is national parliaments with the direusting the problems involved following distribution of seats; with other industry leaders here France, Italy and Germany 21 each; Belgium and Holland 10 The background to the pro- each; Luxembourg 4; and the

An Executive European

VOTE OF CENSURE

The President of the Hoard of be elected by universal suffrage by the people of France, Italy, has asked the cotton chief. Sic Frank Plait, to thrash out with other Languaghire cotton men a countries and the property of the Languaghire cotton men a countries and the content of the Languaghire cotton men a countries and the content of the Languaghire cotton men a countries and the content of the Languaghire cotton men a countries and the content of the Languaghire cotton men a countries and the content of the Languaghire cotton men a countries and the content of the Languaghire cotton men a countries and the content of the conten

4. The Economic and Social a question. Council with mainly consultative functions. 5. A Court of Justice. ...

TRANSFER OF POWER

Concerted Attack Russia

Informed diplomats said today that United States and several other nations plan Altrineham, charge Russia and her satellites during the cur-Cheshire, and Mr P. E. Smith, rent session of the General Assembly with persecuof London. They are going to India under the Colombo Plan tion of Muslims and Christians as well as Jews.

of Arnband other nations who tion will be presented or nations." Mr Guernier is Assistant otherwise might be reluctant to whether the attack will be Postal Controller of the North- go along with nothing but limited to a verbal accusation, project for a single market

denunciation of Russia's anti-

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.. 11 Went astray (5).

14 Special occasions (0).

Intends (5):

19 City of Italy (6).

16 Letting contract (5).

Sufficient (5).

British Crossword Puzzle

Planned United Nations, Feb. 26.

Through enlarging the scope religious policies are still being part of the political set-up of the time in Delhi. They will of the accusations to include and there are no indications at the same time cutting away also visit other postal centres in inspect to attend the accusations to include and there are no indications at the same time cutting away

> emerged as it became clear Luxembourg .- Reuter. that Arab nations were unwilling to go along with what avould amount, in one sense, a defence of Zionism.

But they were considered more likely to add their voice to a general condemnation of anti-religious policies.

Diplomats believed that such a concerted move would have the added effect of hampering the current Sovict offensive to woo Arab governments through anti-Zionist attitudes.

The most notable of them - ammunition that two front line and one of the first indications regiments will use this week. of Russia's new Near Eastern policy - came last Autumn when the Communist bloc here switched its votes in a plenary session to help kill on Israell- route to Seoul. inspired resolution calling for Arab-Israeli peace talks .-United Press.

Royal Style And Titles

London, Fcb. 26. A bill embodying the Royal style and titles by which Queen Flizabeth II will be known in Britain after her Coronation was given a formal first reading the House of Commons

There was no discussion. This will come on Tuesday, when it is hoped to pass the bill As Queen Elizabeth is also supporting fire were brought in by the helicopters, — United Press. which recognises her only as head of the Commonwealth—her

of her realms. The form for the United Kingdom is "Elizabeth the

title will vary in different parts

censured by one of the two in the meantime the executive France 70, Germany 63, Italy of censure in the Peoples' have virtually no supranational

it has the support of three-fifths 8. The European Community will be able to conclude inter-3. The Council of 'National national agreements and treaties Without prejudicing the final Ministers has as its task to har- within the framework of its status of the Sant, the com- moniso the work of the Execu- competence. The Community mittee decided that it too live Council and the different will act as co-ordinator for the should be represented in the European governments. Each foreign policies of the member

The Eexcutive Council can act delegates one of its Ministers to for all countries concerned when 2. A Senate elected by the sit on the Council of National the Council of National Ministers had agreed unanimously on

COMMON MARKET

9. The European Community is asked to establish progres-6. The European Community's sively a common market with a Parliament will take over the free flow of goods, capital and functions of the assemblies of manpower. The Community is the Coal and Steel Pool and the competent to take the steps The President of the Execu- European Defence. Community necessary for such a developtive Council will be elected by when this is set up. The same ment. But the draft said these the Senate with an absolute applies to the Council of measures could only be launched cil of National Ministers. 10. The Senate will be set up

in the month following the treaty taking effect. It will have to fix the date for the elections of the Peoples' Chamber, but no later than six months after the treaty has become valld.

The draft constitution will be known as "the Statute of the European Community."-Reu-

DUTCH STAND

Rome, Feb. 26.

The Dutch Foreign Minister, Johan Willem Beyen, said here to today that Holland would refuse to enter the projected European political community unless it provided for a single market. He told reporters that, in the view of his Government, it would be harmful to try to poor

M. Beyen was outlining the The idea of including charges for study by the Foreign against the anti - Muslim Ministers of France, Western practices of the Soviet Union Germany, Italy, Belgium and

Helicopters Replace Trucks Korea, Feb. 20.

. A helicopter lift is carrying forward all food, fuel and The test—the first on such a scale—is being made in the Panmunjom Bunker Hill sector guarding the main invasion

Its efficiency in battle was tested in Wednesday's successful attack on the Communistheld hill fortress. While the attack was going on the "birds" shuttled supplies to the front and carried back the wounded.

Regiments parked their trucks and turned over the supply job to 12 Sikorsky helicopters that can carry 1,000 lbs. each Captain Richard Kurth, Jnr.,

praised the helicopters for their work during the attack. "I knew I would not be able to count on trucks to haul up all the ammunition we would need and it worried me," "he said. "But the helicopters brought us plenty of stuff to

All the emmunition used by the attacking troops as well as artillery and mortar shells for

Juliana's Visit To Britain

The Hague, Feb. 26. Queen Juliana and Prince Second, by the Grace of God, of Bernhard of the Netherlands the United Kingdom and returned home today, after a Northern Ireland and of her one-day visit to Britain where 150-Year-Old Mystery



Dr Starcke, a Danish M.P., is trying to solve the mystery of the murder of Glertrud Bodenhoff, who died at the age of 19 about 150 years ago. The investigations have revealed a skull which, according to an expert, is that of a young woman of not more than 22. Although the skull shows no marks of violence, its position when found (face downwards), is considered to be important in the solving of the mystery. Dr Starcke believes he is related to the murdered woman. Here Dr Starcke and the expert examine the jawbone from the skull of the murdered woman.-Express Photo.

Free World Tired Of Russian Invective

New York, Feb. 26. The chief Australian delegate Sir Percy Spender, bluntly told the Soviet Foreign Minister, Andrei Vyshinsky, today that the free world is weary of the Russians' "tirade of invective and vituperation."

Sir Percy asked M. Vyshinsky to produce "by way of a change some real and constructive approach to this desperate and difficult problem" of Korea.

Jewish Leaders To Confer

London, Feb. 26. Jewish leaders from Europe, the United States and Israel will meet here tomorrow to consider the future of 2,500,000 Jews in Communist Eastern Europe. They will prepare for a conference of worldwide Jewish organisations called by the Jowish Agency in

Zurich, Switzerland, March 10 to discuss ported anti-Semitism in the Soviet Union and other Communist countries. -Reuter.

VISITING THE FAR EAST

Washington, Feb. 26. The Air Force Secretary, Mr ing for peace, and peace Talbott, left by plane today for denied them by the ambitions his first inspection of units and and by inhuman intransigence installations in the Pacific and of Russia and China," the Far East.

eral Carl Spaatz, former Air war and possibly other Far Force Chief of Staff, and three Eastern problems before senior members of the Air Force | Korean armistice has been headquarters staff.

trip, Mr Talbott will make in- would make during the course spections and hold conferences of such negotiations and how at Far East Air Force head- stubbornly they would press for quarters and commands, includ- satisfaction of those demands, ing the Fifth Air Force in always holding our prisoners as Korea,-Associated Press.

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THE IRON HAND OF THE RUTHLESS CATTLE BARONS!

COMMENCING TO MORROW: "CARIBBEAN GOLD"

The Australian's speech to the United Nations' 60-nation Political Committee came as most members awaited M. Vyshinsky's views before expressing their own.

sent as Sir Percy spoke, Sir Percy said: "M. Vyritinsky, the free world is not at all afraid—as you seem to think-of your propagands. It is simply sick and tired of it. We are weary of the same tirade of invective and vitupera-

Sir Percy, the only speaker today, repeated the charges first made yesterday by Senator Henry Cabot Lodge Jr., chief U.S. delegate, that Russin started and is supporting the Red was effort in Korca.

Sir Percy said the United Nations must stand firm on the principle of not sending home any Red prisoner who says he fears for his life under the Communist regime.

YEARN FOR PEACE Sir Percy said, "The peoples of all the world and especially those whose kith and kin are fighting in Korea . . . are yearn-

Sir Percy deprecated Communist proposals for a political He was accompanied by Gen- conference to settle the Korean reached and prisoners returned. He sald, "It is easy to imagine

During his week or 10-day what further demands they hostages."-Associated Press.

SUPREMO IN KENYA WANTED

European Leaders Make Request

Nairobi, Feb. 26. European leaders on Kenya's Legislative Council tonight put forward a fresh demand for the appointment of a Supreme Commander on the Malayan pattern to direct full-scale operations against the Mau Mau terrorists.

They made their demand at a special meeting of the Execu-tive Committee of the Colony's Emergency Council over which the Governor, Sir Evelyn Baring, presided at Government

Major-General William Hinde, the Governor's Chief Staff Officer and the Commissioner Police, Mr Michael O'Rourke, were present. Havelock, secretary of the organisation of the Legislative Council, speak 'of the extreme concern which Europeans now felt over the divided command in operations against Mau Mau. Mr Havelock said the recent appointment of Major-General

Hinde as chief co-ordinator of Government measures against the terrorists had failed to achieve a welding of the Government forces into a solid team. The European leaders said today that they were in full agreement with the views of General Sir John Harding, Britain's Chief of the Imperiat General Staff, who had emphasised on his recent visit the need for complete co-ordination and co-operation between the Army, Police and civit popula-

TERROR GROWING

One of them told Reuter that the lack of co-ordination between various services had led to complete chaos and efforts were being dissipated through lack of central control. Nobedy knew who was his master or who was ultimately responsible for policy, this informant said. Despite the efforts of 20,000

troops, police and home guards the Mau Mau terror was growing. Apart from the appointment of to Supreme Commander with untrammelled authority to stamp out the menace, the . European leader said these were two of the measures urgently necessary.

1. All Kikuyus must be concentrated in adequately guarded special villages to form the basis of resettlement and rehabilitation.

2. Ruthless action against all foreign subversive influences and the removal, by force necessary, of the thousands of African forest equatters who M. Vyshinsky was not pre- are the "lifelines" for food and information for the terror gangs.—Reuter.

Worried By Competition

Zurich, Feb. 26. Advances made in the United States in the improvement of cotton fibres will be discussed by master cotton spinners of the world at a series of five European conferences in May

A committee of the International Federation of Master Cotton Spinners and Manufacturers Associations adopted the proposal, which came from a United States delegate, at the opening of a two-day con-

Mr Reid Dunn, Jr., Director of the Foreign Trade Division of the United States National Cotton Committee, said the "operating factor" in his committee's offer was the need to meet competition from synthetic fibres.

Thirty-eight committee members from 14 countries attended today's meeting.-Reuter.

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millions in 1952 and textiles

accounted for some 63% of this

The Hongkong Clearing House

figures were about 20% lower

exactly the same as in 1950.

the local retail price index

COLONY'S FINANCES

The finances of the Colony

remain highly satisfactory. The

latest returns show that

revenue is likely to exceed the

estimates by a considerable sum

owing mainy to a surprising

increase in the Earnings and

additional staff appointed to

year. The Financial Secretary is to be congratulated on the

happy position in which he

March 31st last year already

he has the Development Fund,

with a balance of over \$57

millions on the same, date, to

which the trading profits for

the year are to be added. The

kong by Her Royal Highness

the Duchess of Kent at the end

of October was a very success-

ful and welcome event which

further good relations between

all communities, not only in

Hongkong but also in Malaya

has contributed

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Pressing Problems Of S'pore & Malaya Discussed By HK Bank Chairman

(Continued from Page 1)

calories is from 10% to 24% calories is from 10% to 24% in line with the large housing development but the industrial supply has expanded even more supplies to the international market were under 5 million tons last year as against over 8 million tons in pre-war years. Moreover a standard grade of rice which before the war sold at between £5 and £7 a ton has recently been fetching between £80 and £100 a ton seals their total output amounts tween £80 and £100 a ton scale their total output amounts in the free markets. Ways of to an appreciable figure: their solving this problem are being exports alone are estimated to widely discussed and considered. have been worth nearly \$500 There is for instance the question of Government participation which under present circumstances seems difficult to avoid. Yet many autrorities consider that larger Asiatic supplies than in 1951 as was to be ex-would be available if Govern- pected, but they were almost ments ceased to interfere. As in past years I will now The Bank Note circulation deal one by one with the various figures again remained steady countries, with which we are at just over \$801 millions while mainly concerned.

First of all you will be ended the year slightly lower interested to know that we have than a year earlier after only obtained the necessary authority minor fluctuations. to open our own office in Paris where we first appointed agents in 1805. We have found very sultable premises at No. 22 Place Vendome and we hope to commonce business there about the middle of this year. In due course our Lyons Office will be closed. It was first established Profits Tax due no doubt to the there 72 years ago in connection with the important silk business deal with this work during the of those days, which has now, sad to say, come to an end.

UNRUFFLED PERIOD Looking back at the past year in Hongkong I think you will agree that by and large it has been, a surprisingly unruffled period. At the beginning of the year there appeared to be many possibilities of political impediments to steady development, but law and order was maintuined throughout. For this we have to thank the efficiency of our Commissioner of Police and his men as well as the salutary effect of the presence of British military force who are so welgood progress in all the services provided by Government. The Public Utility Services have continued to develop, particularly the Garrison. the electricity companies whose

> and Borneo. articles in the United Kingdom that governments will interfere the end of the war. __ In __fact | round the obstructions __ set in the so-called boom in Hongkong the way. merely covered the period when, as a result of rearmament and the consequent rise in commodity prices following the outbreak of hostilities in Korea, Branch comes next in import- extensions to the Colony's world trade fleures became in- ance. We are vitally interested electricity and water underimposed on shipments of strate- to know where to begin and ment as a gesture of goodwill. gic goods to China. After that where to end. I must necesperiod Hongkong's monthly sarily be concise, but if you Coming to 1952 you will find Commissioner, General (even including China) were of the year. almost exactly the same as for Further, the average monthly export from Hongkong topics of the day is the comin 1952, to countries other than munal problem—that of rela-China, were higher than any tions between the Malays and similar monthly figures, except Chinese-which arises constant-China at \$830 millions have the friendliest bonds only shown a fall of about 3% understanding and goodwill emphasising how very important in the last three years, but exports to China in 1952 were is of the highest importance. down to \$520 millions as compared with \$1461 millions in 1950 and \$1604 millions in 1951. The advantage we gain by the excess of imports from China is obvious and while the loss of so much export trade to China is of course a serious matter, the trade was in 1950 and 1951 an exceptional phase caused by with a clear unheritant line of fidence in the long term outlook China's stocking up on account policy. There is greater efficiency for the natural rubber industry of the Korean war.

But I must mention here that quite a considerable trade to and from China, by-passing Hongkong, has been proceeding from European continental ports direct to various ports in China and back again. I do not intend to refer to the rumours about a possible blockade of the China coast but I want to emphasise that the present Hongkong export trade to China, as is well known, is strictly licensed under arrangements made with the Home Governments and it does not include any strategic commodities. Hong
But I must mention here that where economy and pruning may world's consumption for 1952 is well the new Governur, faction that the ensure that the world section in 1952 white production may be lower. Unfortunately there is a curtain of uncertainty hanging over the U.S. synthesize that the present Hongdeserved decoration announced in the New Year's Honours List gave great pleasure to his many include the paley Commission may perhaps lead to a change in policy.

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The production of the commodities in their full backing in such the faction in the Colony. The business community will give the faction in the Colony. The business community will give the faction in the Colony. The business community will give that the result and there is a circulan of uncertainty there is a curtain of uncertainty there is a curta STRICTLY LICENSED strategie commodities. Hongkong in feet is strictly com-plying with the United Nations embargo on items useful in the and Singapore tinve accumulated bearing areas, the industry is in production of arms, munitions satisfactory surpluses in their a satisfactory condition and the and implements of war. ... revenue accounts during the Malayan figures remained about

munity has doubled since 1949. Domestic supply has increased in line with the large housing development but the industrial supply has expanded even more Last Address To Shareholders



Sir Arthur Morse, flanked by members of the Board of Directors, is seen here this morning delivering his final address to shareholders of the Hongkong and Shanghal Banking Corporation prior to his retirement next month. - Staff Photo-

likely to have another good with trade values. If the volume lions and \$10 millions respecsurplus to add to the General of trade is considered it will be Revenue Balance which on found that the tonnage of commercial cargo recorded here. in amounted to \$219 millions and 1952 was 10% lower than in 1951 and 30% lower than in 1950. In other inctors complicate the

Legislative Council was there- Although Hongkong's entrepot fore fully justified in approving, trade with countries other than floated it was rather galling to in future mining expansion for of the people, which is the on December 31st, the gift to China remained very active recall that only two years ago we which external financial and central objective of the plan. Her Majesty's Government of a throughout 1952 there have recome and valuable to Hongkong. further sum of H.K.\$8 millions cently been signs of hesitation 334% Loan which now stands at over and above the \$16 millions and unfortunately hindrances to about 85. It should not be forincluded in the estimates for trade imposed by governments gotten that the Federation extinon to the cost of reinforcing everywhere. For instance the tion to the cost of reinforcing everywhere. For instance the restrictions on Japanese trade but it is to be feared that it will Brunel, a land of promise but tressing to hear further reports put into force here recently by hardly be possible to eliminate needing enterprise and labour. of famine in large areas of our Exchange Control at the in- this heading from the accounts Enterprise is handicapped by Bombay State but fortunately stonce of the Home Government for some years to come although the chronic shortage of labour prior to this the food situation are proving harmful to Hong- we hope that the amount will but it is difficult to believe that had been better. An important kong merchants and to the entre- be lower in future. Hitherto, satisfactory means cannot be Government Minister not long pot trade from which we all epart from the contributions devised to unravel this problem ago referred publicly to the benefit. Similarly the recent im- made by the Home Government while ensuring that proper subject of "Indianisation" in nort regulations imposed in and \$4 millions donated by the safeguards are adopted. Enter- non-Indian firms. He brought Indonesia added to the above Singapore Government, the prise is, however, certainly ap- the matter forward in a modermentioned restrictions are affect-As regards trade, there have country which in 1952 reached period been borne by the Company whose development acceptable so long as adequate ing our export . trade to that various references in record figures. We can only hope the "collapse of the boom" as little as possible with the Hongkong which is alleged stream of trade which eventually have prevailed here since almost always finds its way

MALAYA

After Hongkong our Singspore Thus Hongkong's trade in the political and economic takings. So satisfied is Singato to the account set up for reconvalue for a long time to come. from the summer of so much that could be said that the Government decided 1950 to June 1951, when the about the developments there in recently to make a gift of £1 United Nations' embargo was the past year that it is difficult trade figures (excluding only want fuller particulars about China) settled down rather internal political and social above the line of early 1950 garairs I recommend that you which had been a very satis- should read some of the importperiod for trading, ant speeches made by the High that the total import figures Gerald Templer, 'n the course

One of the really pressing the above-mentioned by in connection with Maleyan Indeed imports from affairs. The need to coment

because of the satisfaction at situation. having a vigorous leader. in Malaya at the head of affairs,

In dealing with Hongkong's postwar years, but both Govern- 39% of the world's outputinsignificant Public Debt: he is trade I have so far dealt orly ments have deficits, of \$97 mil- the same as in 1951. tively, in their budgets for the current year. The Federation very important primary indus- phasis on agriculture, transport hopes to cover its deficit by the tries upon which the economy and power development both in Security Loan of \$100 millions of of Malaya is almost too vitally this plan, in the Colombo Plan 5% interest which was author- | dependent I must mention that | and in the loans or grants ised last November; half of this some advance is being made in received from the World Bank has been successfully issued at the establishment of secondary and from United States sources, par and another \$10 millions is industries for which however shows that India believes that

NORTH BORNEO

of the country,

a loan will need very careful

Federation cut of ordinary and expansion continues with-yearly revenue. Now it has out check. Brunei State is rebeen decided by the issue of the ported to be considering a new Security Loan, repayable in 10- Five Year Plan: this has not

20 years, to spread a small part yet been published but the of the load over a longer period State's large surplus of revenue of time. In September last the over expenditure should enable Singapore City Council' floated it in due course to make the successfully a small loan of \$25 territory a model to its neight tumn. It contained many immillions at 5% repayable in 10 bours. North Borneo's finances to 20 years, mainly to finance showed a surplus of ordinary

million to Her Majesty's Govern-

TRADE FIGURES

As compared with 1951 the Malayan foreign trade figures for 1952 at first sight appear plarming since they show a drop from M.\$10,710 millions to M.\$7,842 millions or 29% in the year. However it must be remembered that 1951 was an exceptional year with trade figures no less than 56% higher comparing 1952 M.\$2,000 millions, other exports were actually higher in 1952 between these two communities the rubber industry is to Malaya. the reversal of the But probably the most cheering favourable balance of feature of the present situation is trade which was M.\$1,068 that public confidence and morale millions in 1950 and M,\$1.270 has gained strength throughout millions in 1951 to an adverse the year as a result of the success | balance of M.\$52 millions in 1952 against the Communists and was certainly due to the rubber

in the administration, even especially as both the United though there are departments States and the rest of the where economy and pruning may world's consumption for 1952 is

cepting the continuing difficulty The Federation Government of prospecting for new tinexport trade figures were seriously affected by the fall in prices of rubber and copra and dropped by \$40 millions. This resulted in a small adverso balance of trade of \$5.6 Import figures were practically the same as in 1051. There has been no little dis-satisfaction in North Borneo at the slow progress made in re-construction which it was hoped to finish at the latest by the end of 1951. Now the deadline has been fixed for the end of 1954 which should give ample time for this long overdue work to be completed. Our new office at Jesselton should be ready for occupation some time this autumn.

INDIA INTERESTS

Our interests in India being limited to Calcutta and Bombay are not extensive but they are important by reason of the link maintained with our offices in other Eastern countries. Early in 1952, following a considerable amount of overtrading, a collapse of prices took place affecting many commodities, and markets were seriously depressed for some months. India has recently been called "bastion of stability and peaceful endeavour". This is an apt phrase even if her political and economic stability has yet to be fully tested. But

her "peaceful endeavour" can be observed not only in the political world but particularly in her new and ambitious."Five Year Plan" which has been widely applauded in spite of criticisms that the target has been set too high and is not Having referred to these two sufficiently precise. The emat present on tap. I must con- there is still much scope. There this is the most important way fess that when this loan was are also interesting possibilities of raising the standard of living were urged to subscribe liberally, technical assistance will be re- It is also interesting to note industrial development, priority is wisely, given to the fuller utilisation of the existing Let us now cross the sea to industries producing goods from on account of the "Emergency" British North Borneo and local raw materials. It is disfinancial burden of the "Emer- parent in the activities of the ate way and no doubt the gency" has throughout the whole British Malayan Petroleum principle will in the main be

> Caine was published last auportant and valuable proposals and as a reference book rerevenue over expenditure of \$7 garding Ceylon's general economillions which was transferred mic position it will be of great The latter year development programme has a shortfall were sketched in considerable of \$6% millions for the current detail and the establishment of year, to meet part of which a Ceylon Development Corporaconsideration is being given to tion was proposed in which the the flotation of a loan of Government, the Central Bank £500,000. The terms of such and the commercial banks are

able and not discriminatory.

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BOYS' AND GIRLS'

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-That's Where Grasshoppers Can Get Bubble Gum-

- Killia

"I'm certainly doing a fine

business," said Willy Toad.

Some Didn't Sit Down

moths and mosquitoes. Some

of them, in fact, didn't even

bother to sit at the counter.

They kept fluttering up and

down on top of it, much to the

alarm of the lady bug

waitresses who kept shouting in

warning: "Look out you don't

"That's right," said Willy.

Now they're getting these things

back. I think all candy stores

Knarf and Hanid heartly

agreed with Willy. "That's one

should give things away free."

fall into the syrup cans!"

for anything," said Knarf.

"It's all. free. You see,"

Sure enough, sitting at

soda fountain counter were

CANDY SHOPPE

Willy Toad's Candy Shoppe

By MAX TRELL

66W/ELL," said Willy Toad,

Hanid, the shadow-children

with the turned-about names,

store."

Hanid.

asked Knarf.

"I've just opened up a new

W when he met Knarf and

"What kind of a store?"

"Come along and I'll show

you," said Willy, as he hopped

off in the direction of the Pine

Tree. Grove. Willy stopped

hopping before an old hollow

Sign Above Door

There was a door leading in-

door hung a sign reading suck things up with."

the crowd going into Willy's honey, sweet flower-juices, nuts

candy shoppe. Willy went in and berries all summer long.

side the tree trunk. Above the

A crowd of beetles, ants,

enterpillars, grasshoppers,

crickets, mayflies and some

other insects and small animals

the store. Meanwhile, another

crowd of insects and small

animals were pushing their way

out, all of them carrying boxes

"I'm certainly doing a fine

Knarf and Hanid said they

would like to go Inside the,

So Knarf and Hanid joined

was a very interesting

fountain made of wood with

acorns for seats. There were

mushroom tables and glow-

Boxes of Sweets

But the best part of the store

was the shelves which ran all along the wall. Here were

boxes of maple sugar bonbons

and candles made of straw-

and plums. There were boxes

of nuts, and bubble gum of all

green and clove.

flavours, such as mint, winter-

"The grasshoppers like the

Behind the soda fountain

bubble gum best," Willy ex-

counter, three ladybuga in

white aprona were serving all

the customers.
"The butterfiles and moths

and mosquitoes: love sodas," said

Willy, "And all of them come

with their own straws. I mean,"

Willy explained, "that butter-

have long hollow tongues which

flies, more . than . mosquitoes,

plained to Knarf and Hanld.

berries, raspberries, cherries

store. "Certainly," said Willy.

and bags of candies.

business," said Willy.

"Go right in!"

with them, too.

worm lights.

store. There was

were pushing their way inside

WILLY'S CANDY SHOPPE.

trunk. "Here It is!" he



"If you'll step over to our men's department, I'll be glad to show you what else I have in your size."

by, Beachcomber

who has bitten a flont is being overwhelmed with orders.

. If there is an ironnonger who is doing badly, let him claim that he chez McGurgle

In the only frommonger who has caught a flying fish in a butterfly net. For a hatter down on his luck I suggest: The only hatter whose A that second helpings are be-

Suppose," said Kustenje, "that the papers Suct leaves about in his room so carelessly really are what we want?" That sentence was his death-warrant. He was reported for uncultural bourgeois deviationism, for being a paid spy of the English and Americans, for treason to the workers. The judgo appointed to try him said, "There is no case to try. He is already pronounced guilty by the people." The suggestion that a vile Fascist-Capitalist, a tool of the English plutocrats (meaning Suct), should be able so easily to fool the People's translated will go down on the precious little bread greedy fellow got affine and case to try. The pudge commented a hirs will go down on the precious little bread greedy fellow got affine proping live for the proping live for be able so easily to fool the People's Secret Police, the dreaded Ujna, threw Kaknic into a fury. Suet's room at the Hotel Czespul was ramacked again, the mattress was ripped up, the ceiling taken off, the floor incked up, the walls knocked

The Parisian shirtmaker the regarded as the eleverest and the most dangerous agent of world war. Monde as "the only shirtmaker the all unconscious of his fame." worked at his report, and completed the papers he was to take to the Minister, Stogscal, to conclude the

boots all with sand when a boy with measter passes on a bus." And for a manage is "The only beauty belongs are so small that when the specialist who has stroked the entire Oxford crew."

The Triumph of that second helpings are be to make the coming very rare. Not at Mrs Mc-coming very ltugger attack. Nor does the Me-Gurgle's winsome adjuration to "Leave room for the bread pudding" deter the vivacious clientele. On Gurgle, "will be your third, and will go down on the extras." And precious little bread pudding the greedy fellow got after that. "Some commented a Mrs Wibcraft.

'marathon pianist'

Until death proved the stronger, Oh, grudge him not hard-earned

Vita brevis, arg longa.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27

BORN today, you have an ex- rase. You are calm, poised and continually vivid imagination, usually quite practical and clear- and this, combined with a real love thinking. You have a desire to do and this, combined with a real love thinking. You have a desire to do for the creative arts, should bring overything you do with method you to a success which can outlive and preciseness. For one who dispour, You might be interested in likes routine, you are capable of the stage and might either write handling minute detail to a surfor it or perform on it! You are a prising degree. But this is only natural lender, especially in the true, if it is, in connection with regim of ideas and will hew a new something which interests you deeppath in whatever field you enter as your life work.

You are not one who can be tied comes when you are trying to fol-

You are not one who can be fled comes when you are towns to fol-down to a monotonous desk job low the ideas or plans of another! and it would not be well for you to try! If you find yourself thrust into work which is dult and and are very attractive to members I Heart. Pass boring, get out of it as snow as you of the opposite sex. Use care in can. Unless you can ulfline your the selection of a life partner and natural talents to exert your true your marriage can be an ideally individuality and initiative, you happy one. moiviouslity and military height To find what the stars will never active the full height To find what the stars will never active the full height for tomorrow, select your Although you neight be supposed birthday star and read the corres-

to have a lot of artistic tempera- ponding paragraph. Let your birth-

ment, this is not necessarily the day star be your daily guide. SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28

is one time it may be better to group of congental friends.

Blue print shem carefully.

PROBLEM

By H. HERMANSON Black, 8 pieces.

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White, 12 pieces. White to play: mate in two. Solution to yesterday's problem:

, P-BB (=Kt), any;-2, Q, B, Kt. (dis ch, or dbl ch); or P



20-Mar. 20)- TAURUS (Apr. 21-May 21)-This is not the best day in the Relax tensions by innovating some world to tackle a tough job. This novel form of entertainment for a GENINI (May 22-June 21)-This is your day for making core- try to make any well-balanced de-

ful place for your future objectives, cision at this time. CANCER (June 22-July 23)-Bring together old and new friends at your home and derive excepthinal pleasure. LEO (July 24-Aug. Don't follow the advice of others on business or job motiers. You know what to do. Do it!

VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 23)detail work comes first right now. Be sure to put first LIBRA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)— Friendliness really pays. You can give pleasure to others and enjoy yourself as well, SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)you have been procrastinating, hen this is the day to stop it! Get the distasteful job done SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 13-Dec. 22)-

Business affairs may take a very definite furn for the better this CAPRICORN (Dec. 23-Jan. 20)-Act only upon tested facts, Pay no attention to rumour or gossip. can play you false. - AQUARIUS (Jan. 21-Feb. 19)-Moodiness can do serious harm your objective. Calmiy concentrate on important matters.

B INTELLIBENCE TEST Ice Creams

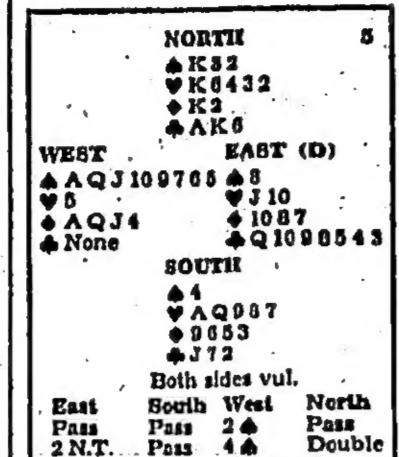
When juggins took his nieces, to the seaside, here was a great demand for ice creams. No two girls ate the same number, but none consumed fewer than: 를 two. In all, they disposed 를 E of twenty-one ice creams. . Afterwards the party went to the Fun Fair. Here 是 juggins i distributed sixpointing a moral, he gave each girl sixpence for every lice cream which had been consumed by the others. Altogether, luggins paid out

How much of this went to Sylvia, who had extenthe s lartett . humber ... bf ... ice creame?

(Solution on Page 10)....

ONBRIDGE

Know All Players To Be Bridge Winner



By OSWALD JACOBY

Opening lead-A A

Pass Pass Pass

Pass Pass Redbl Pass 5 Pass Double Pass Pass

WHOM do you believe in a VV pinch—your partner or the opponents? There is no surefire answer to this sort of question, of course. You must always take into consideration exactly who your partner is, and who the opponents are.

doubled contract. He might easily one occasion a traveller in stovepipes asked timidly for "another go
of minee." "That," said the Methat there was no possibility at all of making five hearts.

> As it happened, however, South's mad dash to five hearts had a fortunate outcome for his side. Four spades was colder than a mackerel, and the rescue, saved the North-South bacon (if you don't mind a mixed grill).

West opened the acc of spades and continued with the queen of spades, thus giving South his only real problem in the play of the cards. South rose to the occasion by playing a low spade from dulumy and ruffing in his own hand.

He couldn't afford to play dummy's king of spades, since East would have been happy to ruff this trick

YOUR BIRTHIDAY... By STELLA

South now drew two rounds of trumps and led a diamond towards dummy's king. West could take the ace of diamonds, but that was the last defensive trick. Dummy's king of diamonds and frimps could take care of the rest of South's diamonds, and South could distard his third and South could distard his third and south could distard his third club on dummy's good king of

> West in case you're wondering, West is still kicking bimself—but hard-for his redouble. He could have had a fine score for making four spades doubled, but he got no points at all for driving the opponents into a makeable contract of five

O-The bidding has been: You have a magnetic personality Pass Hearts A-K-Q-9-8-3, Diamond A. Clubs A-J-3-2. What do you do?

count of 18 points in high cards, 2 points for the singleton, I point for the doubleton, and perhaps a point or so extra for the strength of the hearts. This is ample for a jump rebid in a new suit.

Even if your partner supports clubs, you will go back to hearts. However, if your partner insists on a club contract you will be delighted to hear about his strong support; and Allies (Mar. 21-Apr. 20)- Be sure of all your facts before you the hand may then be good enough for a slam.

TODAY'S QUESTION

The bidding is the same as in the question just answered. You, South. hold: Spades K-J-8-2, Hearts A-K-Q-9-8, Diamonds 7-5, Clubs A-3. What do you do?

Answer Tomorrow

CROSSWORD

Across Plant in a sofer nook. (4) 4. The cat it turned into B. Are able to turn into some-thing highly finished. (9) 10. Is a manuscript wrong? (5) 11. That last word sounds ungram-13. Tennis met with feeling. (9) 15. Eye wash, (4) 18. Extract from the picture. (4) 20. Ear doctor gets another job. (23. The fairy from the pier. (6)
24. Risen to ention (5)
25. Hendon's layer. (3)
26. Impossible for the nudist 7 (6)

. Pates at the mesi. (5) 2. With an artist it makes a kingdom. (3)

3. A great irrigator. (4)

5. Art returns to the legislator when he starts to ramble. (5)

6. Nothing wild in your mate. (4)

7. Commander of a century. (9)

9. Is ore got from wood ? (5)

12. Second helping ? (0)

14. Implement. (0) . 10. Wetrd. (5)

17. Part of a mighty oak afoot ? (5)

19. Times single them out. (5)

20. Elan. (6)

21 Pound in the ages. (4)

1. Cirpature: 7. Hare: 8, 57116; 10. Carp 12. Stani: 13, Tone: 14, Mist. 13, Tide 16, Rode: 17 Denoer: 20, Hout. 23, Bar: 24, Via: 15, Dries: 26, Dall. Decus: 2 Shattered: 2 Oran-deur: 3, Asparagus: 4, Tormented: 5, Itinse: 6, Dollorial: 9, Taid: 10, Cotn: 11, Mandida. Care: 19, Tril: 11, Care: 12, Tia.

Solution of yesterday's purele. Across:

21 Pound in the apen (4)



Beach wear kicks off with a new dash of ginger

THE sun was blazing in Rome when I left: gardeners were busy; outdoor cafe chairs were being painted. And inside the fashion houses they were showing all that's new for the summer holidays ahead. Last. year's black-and-white has given way to sugar pinks and Mediterranean blues-but the newest colour of all is GINGER.

And the designers have taken all When the sun DOES shines the elaborate tricks they generally reserve for evening wear and fitting than before and some-

thrown them helter-skelter on to beach clothes. Now for the drawings (above)

that I made in Rome. Starting from the left:-

sleeved jersey is worn with the ginger - coloured, shortsiceved belted bolero. The legreversed lamb sneakers sell in the open market for 25s. 2 YOU have seen this hat

before, but the beach jacket is typical of what is being shown for the sunshine which must

Flowers and stripes have given place to this sort of design, or polka dots. The jeans have one heavily embroidered knee.

2 HARLEQUIN jumps in with this short, full beach jacket in a complete range of colours. The scoop-shape sun-hat is made of natural straw.

CRAZY hat that brought the laughs was this woollen Gretchen; tight-fitting crown with long side pigtails which can be wound round or dressed as you would a hair-style. Don't ask me why! they use exactly like straws to

Cuffed-topped, one-piece bathing suits, worn daringly low, were being shown with ornate heavily embroidered stoles. large number of butterflies,

THE sloppy joe is back again with a difference. It's bigger, more colourful, and less

Household Hints

To remove cod liver oll stoins, treat the fresh stain with "Nobody seems to be paying a soapless shampoo or glycerine, and friction gently with the fingers to loosen stain. Rinse he thoroughly with cold water added, "all my customers have then wash in warm soapy been bringing me maple sugar, water,

> When you scrub the bathroom floor, don't forget to wipe the scales with suday cloth,

To prevent thess tucks from

thing new has been added. The striped collar and sleeves in fine jersey are sewn into the main jumper, giving it a smarter look. This double effect is not limited to jerseys, but is worn with THE pink-and-black long- boleros and jackets as in No. 1.

-(London Express Service)

hugging loans are pink-fronted and black-backed. The Italian Pilgrim Mothers Had A Way With Lobster, Oyster Dishes By IDA BAILEY ALLEN

"Plymouth Plantation."

Powder Puff Menace

By HELEN FOLLETT

used for a long time and has be- in this menu." come heavy with powder. A solled powder puff is unhygienic and a menace! Mixed with the powder is dust picked up from the air and the skin. No telling how many microbes ore lurking in it to invite skin troubles. Plainly speaking, the idea is disgusting. Puffs cost so little and can be washed so

quickly, there is no reason why they should not be spotless. Morning Grooming . The complexion should

groomed in the morning. If make-up is applied properly, mincod paraley, 4 tsp. natimeg there should be no necessity of and 2 thsp. butter. Slow-saute 3 touching up with the powder min. Stir in 2 thsp. enriched and rouge pad until evening. flour. Gradually stir in Z . c. Then, make-up should be re- bolling water; add 2 chicken moved with cream, and a now bouillon cubes. Simmer-boil '3 face applied. Put new make-up min. Add II . ibsp. lemon ! Juice, over old, and you'll be forcing and salt and pepper to taste. atmospheric dust into the pores. Strain over the lobster; simmer Normally and properly applied 8 min. If desired, add % c. make-up should not need alter- heavy cream or soured cream. ing during the day, except Serve over flaky rice or toast. perhaps a new coating with the . Many hostesses think it is

Rub or pinch your arm near the an antique method, used first in elbow, bringing a glow to the France, and later that by, flesh. Then put the rouge com- Colonial homemakers." pact against it and if it isn't the same shade don't buy it.

Lipstick Testing For testing a lipstick, apply a small squares, and I long slice bit to your lips, then draw down buttered toast. String the bacon your lower lip until you can and oysters through the hard compare the colour of the appart alternately on skewers or plication and the colour, of the brochettes. Suspend over a nartissues that press against your row baking pan so the oysters teeth. It is a mistake to apply hang down but do not touch the a brighter colour than nature bottom. Leave a little space be-

Properly applied, artifice will be evenly distributed. Bake should not be too apparent. It should give accent to natural colouring, never exaggerate it.

A common error is to powder the complexion and not powder the neck. Another one is not including the neck when creaming wor strawberry trifle, arrange the complexion. Do that little slightning layers of sponge take thing and you will eventually and defrosted frozen straw-berries in a glass dish. Regot a colour divorce, the next frigerate 2 hrs. Serve with any whipped topping.

THE Chef looked up from the "This old book, written in come. It is in white towelling ancient cook book he was read- 1072, enumerates over 200 kinds with an enormous inset black T. ing during a visit to the of fish caught in New England waters," he remarked, "The PUgrim mothers cooked fish and scafood for any meal, no matter what time it was served.

"And regard, Madame, Lobsters were very plentiful. Many of them weighed 25 pounds each! That first year it often happened they had plenty of lobster and spring water for a meal, but nothing else! As most cooking THERE are women who claim was done in fireplaces, they that a powder pad isn't worth specialised in stews and fricasplaying with until it has been sees, such as the lobster fricassee

Dinner . Chopped Mixed Vegetable Soup Lobster Frienssee or

Spindled Oysters . Buttered Flaky Rice Splnach Vinaigrette Strawberry Trifle Tea Milk All Measurements Are Level Recipes Serve Four

Lobster Fricasseo Cube the contents of 2

(61/2-oz.) Ains South African lobster tails. Into a frying pan put 1 tsp. : minced pnion, d tbsp. new idea, to serve foods on There is a tricky way of find- spindles or brochettes" remarking a flattering shade of rouge, ed the Chef. I'In reality this is

Spindled Oysters For each person allow & large

gave you. tween each skewer so the heat

of the best ideas in the world," puckering, iron slowly. Knarf sald, and he really meant thoroughly dry. Rupert and the Hazel Nut-14



and hurls them. But, alas, he just wasn't the one I was aiming at I misses each time. Oh, bad Still laughing, he runs to fetch the luck I says Rupert. Now, let coconut and show it to his pals, me try. His first two shots also Now it's my turn, says miss, but his third one hits a .. Edward. Let's see what I can coconut fair and square and it do."



coconut, and show it to his pale.

NOTICE

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

Happy Valley is being lent to the Hong Kong Kennol Club for a Dog Show on Saturday 28th February and Sunday 1st March, 1953. The premises will close to Members at 12 Noon on Saturday and 10 n.m. on Sunday. The Badminton Courts will be closed all day Friday 27th. Saturday 28th February and Sunday 1st March.

upper verandah will open and reserved for the use of Members of the Jockey Club beaten a mile from home.

who attend the show Proviously, again in holding Deneaser race, he scored over that distance last year, and the stand for Service personnel in Halloween and Mont Tremblant year before. \$1.00 for Service personnel in uniform and children under Kempton on Boxing Day. 16, payable at the Public gate).

Members of the Jockey Halloween and 9lb. from Mont Club attending the Show and Tremblant. How then can he be who wish to make use of the expected to reverse placings at Manchester, when he so narrowly. Lincolnshire. Member's they will thereto. By Order,

H. MISA.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

TENTH RACE MEETING 1952/53

Saturday, 7th March, 1953

(Held under the Rules of The Hong Kong Jockey Club)

the Cash Sweep on the last race of the Meeting as well as the

Special Cash Sweep on the "Hong Kong Derby" scheduled to be

run on 2nd May, 1953, nay be obtained at the Cash Sweep Office

by 10 a.m. on Friday, 6th Morch, will be sold and the reservation

Building, sweep tickets may also be purchased at the Club's Branch

5 D'Aguilar Street, Hong Kong

382 Nathan Road, Kowloon

TOTALISATOR

The attention of Totalisator Investors is drawn to the

so declared by the Stewards when the "ALL CLEAR" is given.

The "ALL CLEAR" signal will be indicated by a white light

at the Totalisator Tower. BACKERS ARE ADVISED NOT TO

DESTROY OR THROW AWAY THEIR TICKETS UNTIL

AFTER THE "ALL CLEAR" SIGNAL HAS BEEN EX-

fore leaving the Selling Counters as mistakes of any descrip-

before leaving the Pay-Out Counters as no claim for short

payment of the value of tickets presented can be entertained

presented for payment at the Race Course on the day to which

they refur, but none will be paid later than one hour after the

time for which the last race of the day has been scheduled

made unless a ticket is produced. Payment WILL NOT be

SETS OF MEMBERS' AND LADIES' BADGES WHICH ARE

Members and guests are reminded that they and their ladies

NO ONE WITHOUT A BADGE WILL BE ADMITTED TO THE

Badges admitting ladies not in possession of Brooches or

Only a limited number of badges admitting to Members' En-

The Branch Offices and the Treasurers' Compradore Office will

A limited number of tiffins will be obtainable at the Club

NO CHILDREN WILL BE ADMITTED TO THE CLUB'S PRE-

The Price of admission to the Public Enclosure will be \$8.00

MEMBERS' BADGES AND ENCLOSURE

BEING ISSUED FOR THE 1953 RACING SEASON ARE NOT

MUST wear their badges prominently displayed throughout the

Season tickets and gentlemen, non-members of the Club, to the

Members' Enclosure and the Club Rooms at \$10.00 including tax,

for ladies or gentlemen are obtainable through the Secretary at

Alexandra House, on the written or personal introduction of a

Member, such member to be responsible for all visitors introduced

close at 11 a.m. and the Secretary's, Office at 11.45 a.m. The

Treasurers' Compradore Office is situated at Queen's Building,

Ground Floor, Chater Road, and the Secretary's Office at

House provided they are ordered in advance from the No. 1 Boy

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE

including tax for all persons including Ladies and will be payable

Totalisator Tickets should be examined and checked be-

Cash received in respect of Dividends should be checked

All winning tickets and tickets for refunds must be

In no circumstances will any Dividends be paid or refunds

of the Club at Queen's Building, Ground Floor, Chater Road.

be rung at 1.30 p.m. and the First Race will be run at 2 p.m.

The programme will consist of 0 races. The First Bell will

Through Tickets (9 Races-\$18.00) also tickets at \$2.00 each for

Through Tickets reserved for this meeting but not paid for

To avoid congestion at the Cash Sweep Office at Queen's

Hongkong, 26th Feb., 1953.

cancelled for future meetings.

Offices at:-

following rules:—

HIBITED.

to be run.

UNTIL THEN.

Meeting.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE.

Alexandra House, 8th Floor.

MISES DURING THE MEETING.

(Tel. 27818).

tion cannot be rectified later.

once Investors have left the Counters.

made on torn or disfigured tickets.

by him, and for payment of all chits, etc.

closure will be on sale at the Race Course.

KNOCK HARD THE HARDEST WEIGH HORSE TO CHELTENHAM GOLD CUP

The hardest horse to weigh up for the Cheltenham Gold Cup on March 5 is the Irish-trained Knock Hard. He is third favourite at 5-1, but it is questionable whether his past performances justify such a short price (writes Richard Baerlein).

'OUT-AND-OUT STAYER'

lost last year's November

Until he heat Teal at Doncaster on Fohruary 8, he was not seriously under consideration for the Cheltenham race.

It was not a case of failing to Knock Hard's longest winning appearance on a racecourse for stay, for Knock Hard was well distance over steeplechases is nearly 11 months.

in the King George VI 'Chase at

RECEIVING 9LB.

level weights? It must be said in his favour | Handleap. . that on that occasion Knock Hard

Badge, otherwise made a bad mistake at the first, be admitted and it took him a long time to he is not an out-and-out stayer, be called a "great racchorse." finish than at any other part of support this.

tences out, when he came down, ance, except for one blunder at position.

In his previous outing at The going on that occasion I think we must accept the fact Leopardstown he had given only was again very heavy, but, until that Teal was a long way short Private Boxes. Coffee Room, a moderate performance, though he came down, we could not of his best at Doncaster, however the land the going was exceptionally detect any sign of his falling to much home work had been put heavy, and he carried 12st. 7lb.

upper verandah will be heavy, and he carried 12st. 7lb.

FALSE REPUTATION

For this reason it is quite possible that Knock Hard gained a false reputation. The going is almost certain to be really heavy at Cheltenham, and this will put an added tax on his stamina. It cannot be said that he Knock Hard has already won favours hard ground because he

He is a most versatile performer, and has proved a most useful servant to his stable. But Irishmen always maintain that he has just missed the right to

recover. He was nearer at the und there is some evidence to His little fallings, such as an occusional faulty jump and the In England he has always possibility of him failing to stay, A year ago at Cheltenham he appeared a somewhat chancy do not make the 5-1 offered Secretary, was certainly looming up as a jumper, but there was nothing about him for the Cheltenham danger to Mont Tromblant two wrong with his latest perform- Gold Cup an attractive pro-

-(London Express Service)

St. Paul's Co-educational

The Annual Athletic Meeting of St Paul's Co-

records were broken left and right over the whole range of the sports events, showing the great year-by-year im-

sport—he was sure that fitness of body made for improvement therefore hoped that each year Dividends will be paid on the winning and placed ponies would see such an improve-

Popular events were a relay ft.

THE RESULTS A. 51 points: Midget Division Champions, F.1A.

Ho Hot-yuen, 19 points: Ciris Senior Individual Yeung Kam-sang, 14 points. Results follow:

1500 Metres.—I. Yue Kwok-kwan
(3A) 2. Ko Cham-cho! (3B) 3. 80
(Sehool Record).

Kam-poon (SMI). Time 5.32 min.

Hurdles.—I. Chan Sheung-chung
(4B) 2. Tam Kwok-wah (SM3) 3.

Yeung Kai-yuk (SM1). Time

Sprint Relay.—1, Form 5 2, S.M.3 secs.

J. Form 2A. Time 53.5 sec.

Distance Relay.—1, S.M.3 2, 3A 3, (HI-A

2B. Time 4 min. 42.5 sec.

Doys B Grade

11 ft.

Shot Put.-1. Ko Kong-man (4A)

Sprint Relay,-1, 3A 2, 4A 3, J.M.3, Time 55 sec. (School Record).

Distance Relay.—1, 3A 2, J.M.3, 3,

4A. Time 4 min. 27.2 sec. 60 Metres.-1, He Hol-yuan (1A)

(School record). 100 Metres.-1. Ho Hol-yuen (1A) (School record).

sufficiently to take the next sot 8-6 after a sliff struggle.

Sprint Relay.-1, 1A; 2, APC. Time: called the first set 7-5, while the Lo

00 Metres.-i, Lee Wing-han (411): set 6-2. 200 Metres.-1, La Shiu-fa (4B): 2,

Long Jump. — 1, Ifo Wing-ching (4B); 2, Lie Yuct-may (4B); 3, Fok Po-Jum (5). Distance; 11 ft. 4 ins. High Jump.-1, Lie Yuel-may (4B); 2. Lee Wing-han (4B); 3, Cheung Wan-han (3A). Height: 3 ft. 715 ins. Softball Throwing .- 1. Lie Yuet-Shot Put.- [, Lie Wing-han (4B); 2. Ng Kwal-jo (4A); 3. Fok Po-lum Distance: 18 ft. 6 ins. (School

Sprint Relay.-1, 40; 2, 4A; 3, 2A. 60 Metres,-1, Au Che-lai (JM1); 2,

Ylu-che (3A). Time: 35.4 secs.

Lawn Tennis chung (4B) 2. Tam Kwok-wah (5M3)
3. Chan Ho-leung (F5). Distance 18 ft.
High Jump.—i. Chan Shoungchun (4B) 2. Chan Yik-yui (4B) 3.
Hui Bou-bos (4B). Height 4ft. 10 in.
Bhot Put.—i. Lee Trun-kwong (F5)
2. Chan Shiu-shing (F5) 3. Chan Holeung (F5) Lee Chung-kwong (F5)
Distance 33.1 ft.

Sprint Relay.—1. Form 5 2. S.M.3 Long Jump.—1. Llang Kwok-mei J. R. Lieu v J. L. P. Weills and J. R. Leing; Khoo Sin-cei, and Roch Llang v Li Lit-chun and Wu 1 ft. 4 ins.

High Jump.—1. Distance: Fah-kwong.

replayed).

pherson 6-J, 6-J.

Seed made two short sharp of £20,000 he procured raids on South Africa, and they £80,000 worth of talent. In addition to Howie he obcent weeks have formed the club's inside forward trio. He also got Norman Nielsen, back he so successfully verted into a centre-half later transferred to Derby

Jake Tuli dodges a straight left from Nazzareno Ginnelli (right) in their

A footballer with a chance of establishing a unique record is John Hewic,

The record? If he is selected he will have played for his country without

For John, whom Charlton manager Jimmy Seed brought over from South

Charlton's tall lenn South African full back. Because of his ancestry. John is

qualified to play for Scotland and is favourite for the right back position in the

contest at Streatham on February 11. Tuli won by a K.O. in the sixth round,-

Central Press Photo.

South African

Establish

team to meet England at Wembley on April 18.

Africa four years ago, has spent all his time in England.

ever having set foot in it.

The game in which the two

off with the score at

with the club, may be ranked as their best buy. For it was his signing that led to the signing of Hewle.

really missed Hewle watching him play his first game. No blame attaches to schoolboys, F. K. L. Ma & the Charlton manager. With Mr Wong Chan-fal met E. Pereira Gliksten, the Club Chairman, & L. J. Wade terminated with he went to see North Transvant play East Transvaul and to Pereira & Wade took the watch Nielsen, who had been recommended to him.

Nielsen was right-back, and his partner was Hewie, who had such a bad game that Mr Seed thought no more of him. After the match Nielsen signed for Churlton, and his father pressed Mr Seetl to sign Howie as well. The Charlton manager was dublous, but Mr Niel-3-all. Cheng & Chung took sen impressed upon him that Hewie had had an off-day and

> So young Hewie, of spider-like legs, was surprised Mr Nielsen. "Meet me with

but lost the second 4-6. THE RESULTS

The following were the results: the chance he had hoped and match were issued last Septem-B. T. Gosano & D. M. Rodrigues prayed for. But it was a gam- ber, 350 donations have been lost to Khoo Bin-oet & Roch Llang 2-0, 1-6. Thou Cheng-chung & Iu Po-hay man he was carning £11 a appeals sent out. This relost to Szeto Bick & P. Poon 3-6, week in Pretoria, his home presents a sum of £3,037, J. R. L. Cook & E. Saubolle best R. E. Moore & J. D. Mackie 6-z would only allow Charlton to other fixed annual subscriptions with F. K. L. Ma & Wong Chan-fal 6-1, 8-6, 7-7. (To be replayed). He consider

> confidence in his football ability finances ticket for England and I was to £1,956."



WEEK-END TEAMS

The following are teams for League cricket and seccer matches this week-end:

Craigengower C.C. at Chater Road on Baiurday at 1.30 p.m.-D. McLellan (Capt.), G. T. Howe, N. Pritchard, R. M. Macpherson, H. W. Frenklin, R. G. E. Spink, H. H. Hughes, H. R. O. Hubble, T. P. Malion. Umpire.—A. Zimmern.

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Beorer.—R. MaAdam.

ILAF 1st XI v Kowloon C.C.

at Cox's Itoad on Saturday at 1.20

p.m. —Sqn/Ldr Kingsford (Capt.),

Wg/Cdr Kettlewell, Sqn/Ldr Bleeck,

Bqn/Ldr Chapman, Fit/Lt Graham,

Fg/Oir. Biacpard, W/O Walker,

F/S Mitchell, Cpl West, LAC Or
bell, AC Bennion. 12th man.—

Pit/Off. Leg. Umpire.—AC Bruce. bell, AC Bennlon. 12th man.—
Pit/Off. Lee, Umpire.—AC Bruce.

RAF 2nd XI v Army at Kai
Tak on Sunday at 1.30 p.m.—Sqn/
Ldr Shepherd (Capt.). Sqn/Ldr
Orbell, Pit/Off. Lee, W/O Edwards,
W/O Watkins, Sgt Harnett, Eggs
Horsham, Cpi Fry, AC Ellis, AC
Vernon, AC Woodward;
Dockyard R.C. v Kowloon C.C.
on Sunday at King's Park at 1.30
p.m.—C. L. Hughes (Capt): T. J.
Kingdon, D. Sutcliffe, J. Adle, W.
J. Lewis, W. James, G. Harries, R.
Maddox, R. Knapp, G. Harvey, D.
L. Back: F. Bartlett (12th Man);
R. R. Cooper (Umpire): F. Pyne
(Scorer).

Craigengower C.C. v Hongkong C.C. "Optimists" at Chater Road on Saturday at 1.20 p.m.—G. A. Soula, G. Hong Choy, M. J. Divecha, W. H. E. Colledge, D. Bottomley, H. P. Madar, E. Y. Tam, M.

Manley. Heywood and T. Crabires, Club de Recreio 1st XI v Royal
Navy at Recreio on Baturday at
1.30 p.m.—A. M. Prata (Capt.).
A. A. dos Remedios Jr., A. P.
Pereira, Dr E. L. Gosano, L. G.
Gosano, A. E. Noronha, A. R.
Osmund, M. A. Remedios, D. E.
Remedios, P. M. N. da Bilva, A.
P. Ricci-Pereira. P. Ricci-Pereira.

Army 2nd XI v Hongkong University at Sookunpoo on Saturday at 1.30 p.m.—Major Bennett, Major Thomas, Major McCosh, Capt. Pierce, Capt. Dewar, Lt Ibbotson, 2/LA Orford, S/Sgt Maddock, Sgr Chalinor, Cfn Atkinson, Tpr Farr., 12th man.—Pte Coffe, Umpire.—CMS (AC) Carter, Scorer,—Bdr Cooper.

Indian R.C. 1st XI v Hongkond C.C. "Scorpions" at Sockupped on Baturday at 1.50 p.m. A. R. Elle chel (Capt.), A. R. Abbas, F. M. El Arculli, Sherry Bucks, R. A. Bux, A. H. Ismail, S. A. Ismail, S. H. Khan, Ador A. Rumjahn, Arthur A. A. Rumjahn, M. I. Bamad, Umpire.—G. M. Butt, Scorer.—A. M. Wahab, Indian R.C. v King George V School at Argyla Street on Saturday at 1.30 p.m.—M. A. Wahab (Capt.), A. Rashid Abbas, Osman Adam, S. E. M. Bux, S. F. Chagle, T. E. Chiba, Adam Khan, Ali Khan, Ebrahim Minu, A. R. Razack, M. Yusuf Samad, Um-pire.—K. M. Omar, Scorer.—Abdul Ramjahn.

Kowloon C.C. 1st XI v Royal Air Force at Cox's Road on Saturday at 1.30 p.m.—S. V. Cittins, D. C.
Coffey, P. V. Dodge, P. Hall, N.
Hart-Baker, R. E. Lee, J. Lariou,
Kenneth Lo. G. E. Taylor, F. R.
Elmmern, A. N. Other, Umpire: L.

Rowloon C.C. 2nd XI v Royal
Naval Dockyard at King's Park on
Bunday at 1.30 p.m.—B. C. Fincher, R. F. Apps. Q. Almao. W.
ii. Cowie, A. Lang, W. Pepperell,
R. F. W. Lodge, B. Ramchand, G.
Randall, A. P. Weir, P. Wood. Umpire: S. A. Gray.

Hongkong Football Club Ist XI v South China at Happy Valley on Saturday at 4.15 p.m.—Taylor, Armstrong, Farren, A.C. McDonald, Anderson, Tarpey, Treadwell, Mussien, Gardner, Heane, Forrow.

Hongkong Football Club 2nd XI v South China at Happy Valley on Saturday at 2.30 p.m.—Millar, W.J. McDonald, Beattle, Carr. W.J. McDonald. Walton, Baker, Vient, Poynton, Ward, McGuinness, Reserves .- Barker and Sargent;

Despite appeals made from time to time, the fund the required to send the British Walker Cup team to America in the autumn is still £2,000 short.

Mr H. H. Turonn, chairman ed to allocate £1,500 from the of the Championship Committee Amatour Championship Funds. of the R. and A. Golf Club, The appeal to meet the derevealed this at St Andrew's ficit is addressed to golfers when he said: "Since the appeals calling for Express Service.

Hewie was stunned. It was funds for the 1953 Walker Cup ble. As a qualified journey- | received out of a total of 1,700 League regulations subscribed, and together with pay him £6 a week for the received from clubs, makes a total of £3,043. "The present position

One Minute Silence

At All Week-end

Soccer Matches

As a mark of respect for

the late Mr J. C. Guimgam,

a one minute silence will be

observed prior to the start

of all League soccer matches

on Saturday, February 28,

The Hongkong Football

Association, of which the

late Mr. Guimgam was

Chairman, would consider it

a fitting gesture if black

armbands are worn by all

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A Requiem Mass for the

late Mr J. C. Gulmram

will be held at St Mar-

garet's Church at Happy

tomorrow at 7.30

REQUIEM MASS

and Sunday, March 1.:

Touring Team Fund which to feel sure that he would matches shows a credit balance of £1,868 after charging the Philippine Amateur Athletic "I was not worried about expenses of the 1952 South money," he says. "I had my African tour, which amounted

It is estimated amount required to send Walker Cup team to America ing of a Spanish football team this year will be something here, said that the Hongkong more than £5,000. It is intend+ interporters had agreed to play,

Football

The following, are the results of matches played in the Army Major Units Football Longue since the date of the publicat tion of the last League Table: 32 Med. Rogt R.A. 2, 14 Fd Regt 2; 45 Fd Regt R.A. 9, H.K. Sigs. : Regt 0: 1 R. U. R. 1, 24 Fd Engr Regt 3. Longue standings na February 24:

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throughout the country.-London

H.K. SOCCER TEAM TO PLAY SPANIARDS

Manila, Fob. 26. The Hongkong interport football team, which is scheduled to arrive here during Easter week. its annual match with Mantla team, has agreed to play three games, according to the Bederation.

Mr Chito Colvo, of the P.A.A.F. football committee, who the recently negotiated with Hongthe kong officials about the bringtwo games against the Spaniards and one against the local interporters,-Reuter.

> Next Change tat them

Anna Magnani (The most impressive actress since CAREO - LIFE)

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at the Gate. Any person leaving the Public Enclosure during a Meeting will forfeit his or her right of admission to the Enclosure and will be required to pay the requisite fee of \$3.00 in order to gain reedmission.

HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

MEALS AND REFRESHMENTS WILL BE OBTAINABLE IN THE RESTAURANT IN THE PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.

SERVANTS' PASSES

Servants' passes will be issued to private box holders only, who are requested to distribute them with discrimination and to endorse their names on the passes. Holders of such passes are not permitted in the Members' Enclosure except for passing through on their duties and must remain in their employers' etands.

Owing to the congestion in the Members' Betting Hall and at Booths adjacent to Boxes in the Coffee Room, Box-holders and Members are requested to ensure that their servents make use only of the Public Betting Hall. Military Police will be posted at various points in the enclosure to ensure that this regulation is

Becretary.

Educational College was held yesterday at Carolino Hill Sports Ground.

This was the 3rd athletic meeting of the College, and | provement in College athletics that is taking place.

A short speech was given at Hurdles,—1. Hau Yan-fat (4A) 2. the prize-giving by Mr Lam on (\$A). Time 20.8 sec. Chick-ho, a member of the Long Jump.—1. Chan Hung-mou College Committee in which (3A) 3. Kong On-on (4A) 3. Wong he said that he was very glad to Yat-on (3A) Wong Hok-ylu (SM2). rising standards in College 2. Wong Yat-on (JA) 3. Ng Yin-tations was sure that fitness (JM2). Height 4 ft. 8 ins. (Schoolof class-room standards, and he 2, Kong On-on (4A) 3, Yue Kwok-therefore haped that each year kwan (3A). Distance 37 ft. 2 Ins.

Mrs Lam Chick-ho then gave away the prizes—three shield; for Junior, Senior, and Midget 2, Lam Shing-young (SMI); 3, Miao Championships, a shield for Yee Shun (JM2). Time: 8.8 sees. the class with the highest number of points—won by 3A—and many other cups and medals. At the end of the prize-giving to take place to-day, and this klu (IA). Time: 313 secs.

applause.

were Mr D. Benson, Mr Ferguson of the Educational Department, Miss B. Kotewal., the Principal, Mr L.C. Ketewall, who is the Principal's

wishers of the College. Inter-class Champions, Form JA, 83 Senior Division Champions, Form 4B, 54 points; Junior Division Champions, Form 35 points; Boys Senior Individual Champion, Chan Sheung-chung, 15 points; Boys Junior Individual Champion, Yue Kwok-kwan, 12 points; Boys Midget Individual Champion.

Lee Wing-han, 11 points; Girls Junior Individual Champion, Wang Tso-mei, 13 points: Girls Midget Individual Champion,

Boys A Grade 100 Metres.-I. Chan Shiu-shing

200 Metres.—1. Chan Shiu-shing (School Record).

same place. 2. Lam Shing-young (SMI); 3, Miao Yee-shun (JME). Time: 14.2 secs.

the score standing at 7-all. At the end of the prize-giving 200 Metres.—1. Ho Itol-yuen (1A): she asked for a whole holiday, 2. Chew Yun-chung (1A); 3. Le Punfirst set 6-1, but the schoolboys was granted amidst tremendous (SMI); 2, Wong Yan-man (III); 3, who appeared to have an attack Mino Yee-shun (JM2). Distance: 13 of nerves throughout, recovered

race between school masters (SMI); 2, Trul Hin-ching (IA); 3, and school—mistresses—and a Chow Yun-chung (IA). Height! 4 ft. tug-of-war between masters i in (School record).

Shot Put.—1, Lo Pun-kiu (1A): 2, wong KaiWong Yan-man (1B): 3, wong KaiKenneth Lo & Thomas Lo was

2. Lo Shiu-ta (4B); 3, Ho Wing-ching brothers captured the second (4B). Time: 93 secs. (School record). 100 Metres.—1, Lee Wing-han (4B): brother, and his wife, and 2, Lo Shlu-fa (4B); J. Sung Kit-yu VALID UNTIL 1ST APRIL, 1953. 1952 SETS ARE VALID many others, parents, and well- (JM2). Time: 148 secs. (School re-

Lee Ol-yuk (2A); 3, Cheng Wan-han may (6B); 2, Chung Kam-may (6); 3, Cheng Wan-han (3A). Distance: 103th

Record). Time: 64.5 secs. . Tam Shiu-lin (JM2); 3, Wong Shukhan (JMJ). Time: 9.8 secs. 100 Metres.—1, Au Che-isi (JM1); 2. Wang Tso-mel (JM3); 3. Wong Shuk-han (JM2). Time 16.1 secs. (School Record). 2. Young Kal-yuk (SM1) 3, 200 Metres, 1. Wang Two-met Kwok-wah (SM3). Time 12 (JM3); 2, Choung Miu-lai (JA); 3,

(F5) 2. Tam Kwok-wah (SM3) 3, Lam | Long Jump.-1. Au Ylu-che (3A); Pak-nin (3A). Time 25.8 sec. (school 2, Chan Sin-yee (2A); 3, Chow. Min-Record).

400 Metres.—1, Chan Chun-bong High Jump.—1, Chan Sim-yee (SM2) 2, Tam Kwok-cheung (SM3) (2A); 2, Lin Shook-fal (2B): 3, Yip 3, Chung Tsang-bor (3A). Time 62.1 Min-yiu (JM2), Height: 3 ft, Ti ins. 800 Metres— 1, Chan Sheung-chung (4B 2, Tam Kwow-obeung Wang Tro-met (JM3). Distance: 97 ft. (SM3) 3, Yung Kal-man (2B), Time Shot Put.—1. Wang Tro-met (TM3).

Boys B Grads

100 Metres.—). Au Yeung-tang (4A) 2, Ko King-man (4A) 3, Chan (II-A); 2, Ching Chi-jing (I-B); 3, ting-mou (3A). Time 120 sec.

200 Metres.—). Au Yeung-tang (II-A); 2, Ching Chi-jing (I-B); 3, ting-mou (3A) 3, Time 25.6; 2, Chan Hung-mou (3A) 3, ting-25.6; 2, Chan Hung-mou (3A) 3, Mak Chor-fun (JM3); 3, Mak Chor-fun (JM3); 3, ec. (School Record).

400 Metres.—). Yus Kwok-kwan (3A); 3, Mak Chor-fun (JM3); 3, Chan Hung-mou (3A); 3, Koong Yui-kwan (I-A). Distance: B. C. Boys Lines S. C. Roys Lines S. C. Boys Lines S. C. Roys Lines S. C. Roys Lines S. C. Boys Lines S. C. Boys Lines S. C. Roys Lines S. C. Boys B.C. Roys Lines S. C. Roys B.C. Ro

have proved a sound investment. For an overall lay-out tained such players as Firmani, Leary and O'Linn, who in re-Colony Tennis Championships County for £6,000. THE BEST BUY Nielsen, although no longer

Three of the eight Colons Open Doubles Lawn Tennis Championship matches which were played at the Hongkong Cricket Club yesterday ended in a dendlock and will be replayed this afternoon at the

The truth is that Mr Seed

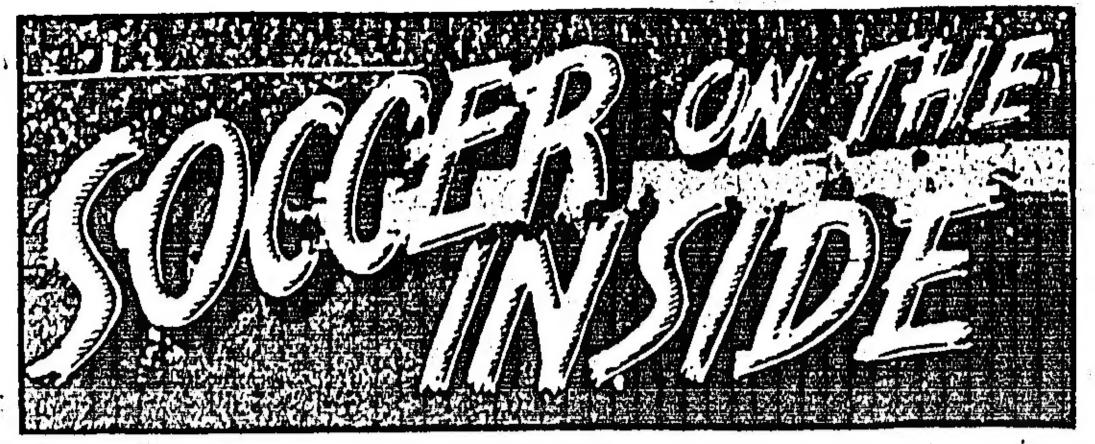
that he was a fine player. The third game which necessituted a replay was that betweer. Cheung Chow & Chung to receive a telephone call from Wah-chiu and D. Khan & M. Y. Khan which ended with the Mr Gliksten and Mr Seed score at 5-all. Cheung & the cafe. They want you Chung won the first set 6-2, go to Charlton," he said.

A GAMBLE

He considered it a risk

C. S. Cheng & Chung Wing- worth taking, and had sufficient kwong drew with Kenneth Lo & confidence in his football ability Thomas Lo 7-5, 2-6, 3-3. ' [To be Cheung Chow & Chung Wah-chin make the grade. frew with D. Khan & M. Y. Khan Lee Wai-tong & J. K. Lieu beat Lam Yuk-ying & Yau Sheung-sin happy."-London Express Ser-J. L. P. Wallis & J. B Laing best 1. H. Kendall & R. M. Mao-

SPORTRAIT



(Contributed by Desmond Hackett, Robert Findlay and Henry Rose. Edited by Marshall Fallows)

First question Torquay director Mr P. Cavanna asked on his return' to Plainmoor after a three-month trip to Uruguny was: "How are the college boys getting 011?"

Mr Cavanna was the man who sponsored the scheme to arrange college courses for the players to fit them for jobs when their playing careers end.

who gave the scheme 100 per generous class. cent support, reported: "Nine of the lads have stuck to their When left half Bill Towers about like a strong man. But do lessons and are making good joined Torquay from Leicester I put on weight? Do I? I should progress in the book-keeping of hotels in the holiday resort.

What does a goalkeeper think about while waiting for the next studies style.

"I rate Tom Finney, the private hotel. Preston right winger, the most Howells, "He's the tops for -the Chairman, Mr G. Gillin, natural ability, but no bite." sportsmanship too. If I had to and a Director, Mr G. Tucker. concede a goal there's nobody I'd sooner see it credited to."

GOOD HUMOUR ESSENTIAL

essential as good football to a Britain have gaily coloured effect is that they do not give side, says Preston manager Will wrappers containing the word Soccer everything they have Scott. "We are lucky in having two ballers wish English footballers

natural comedians and they have every prosperity." helped make this one of the happiest teams I have known," he

ternational right-half, and Andy Cup-winning goal in 1947, must Duke of Beaufort, the Rovers' Cunninghum, our right back, are come high in the list. great wits. Their cross-talk helps ease the tension before a Juniors, run by his father-a big match and lifts up our spirits talent scout for Glasgow Celtic. when we've had an unlucky defeat as in the Cup.

prove that the London club Referee Bill Evans (Liverpool) is being tipped by a Football voluntarily sent another cheque Association official as the most likely choice for the Cup Final i in May.

Evans reaches the Football youngest member of his school League retiring age of 47 this Soccer team. season....is still hoping that the Management Committee will raise the age limit.

Brentford have been assailed for alleged hard-hearted treat- Leyton Orient's defence. ment of Ned Liddell, their chief scout for many years, whose engagement has been ended. It's tough on Ned, but at 74 the time has come for him to take things more easily. To an amputation was necessary. soften the blow Brentford are giving him a full player's keenest followers. He lives at selectors switched an inside-right as a parting present? When you consider that Brent-

ford have a serious overdraft

WEEK-END HOCKEY

The following is a list of fixtures in all Divisions of the Hongkong Hockey League for this week-end:

SATURDAY Ladies' League

Police Ground, 3 p.m. Umpires: ground. Set T. L. A. Davies, Tara Singh.
Dorlans "White" v Recreto "A"—
King's Park Pool Ground 3 p.m. Umpires: Major L. S. Mepsted, J. Recreto "B" v Dorians "Green"— King's Park Pool Ground, 4.15 p.m. Umpires: B/Sgt G. C. Palmer, U. Gremlins "A" v D.G.S.-Police

Ground, 4.15 p.m. Umpires: Yaqub at Newcastle. There was some Khan, Sgt Heard. SUNDAY

First Division (Men's)

pires: Fit/Lt E. J. Cordon, Lt R. and going through the motions Argonauta "A" v Y.M.C.A.—Police of training."
Ground, 10.30 a.m. Umpires: Disappointn
W.O.I. N. W. Letori, Makhan made him des

Second Division (Men's)

· Aces v H.K.A.A.F.-King's Park No. 2, 10.45 a.m. Umpires; Axiz Malik, Sgi T. Jardine. Trams or umpires unable to forward, is a weight lifter. meet these lixtures are requested to contact C. Verheul, the Hon, Fixture Secretary of the H.K.H.A. immediately by phone (30343).

THE GAMBOLS

Player-manager, Eric Webber, such a gesture comes into the and weight on his small frame.

"One of these days...." he told

raid? Cardiff City's Ron Howells much of his pay too. And re- young players. cently he became proprietor of a

SAY IT WITH FRUIT

Chris Duffy, Charlton inside or grounds of Badminton House "Tommy Docherty, Scottish in- wing forward, scorer of their (Gloucestershire), home of the

Duffy's first club was Wellesley He cost Charlton only £250 when they secured him from

to the Scottish team. Duffy has two sons. elder, Robert, is at eight the the privilege, of playing for

mentioned a lot in Soccer board- signed for Charlton without fooms a few years ago when the stocky left back was starring in

left leg in a match against manager Jimmy Seed:-Northampton. Months later he resumed training, the leg went again, complications set in, and compete with Joe Smith, Clem substitutes in football,

trades". In his time he has been footballer, chief ecout, hotel licensee, and country golfer. Now he is proprietor of a billiard hall at Derby.

West Bromwich players have to a fund for this purpose. cycling fun and games.

their way to and from the manager, has accepted a new goalkeeper, at the start of a ground...and even round the job....he has agreed to coach match, had lost a couple of soft

They ride their wives' bicycles. NEWCASTLE SHAKE-UP

Watch for some drastic moves "straight from the shoulder" talking at the inquest on the Dennison's aid.

Cup defeat, Says hon, manager Stan Recreio v H.K.H.C. — Recreio. Seymour, due to renew his 10.30 a.m. Umpires: Major S. J. B. talent' search: "There'll be Thunderbolls "A" v Police-King's changes. We need the shake-up. Park No. 1, 10.30 a.m. Umpires: There is more to being a pro-H. Crebos, Sgt. T. G. Davies.
Royal Navy v R.A.F.—King's fessional footballer than playing Park Pool Ground, 2.30 p.m. Um- a game on Saturday afternoon

> Disappointments have almost made him despair of getting the men he wants.

> Believe it or not, Tommy Harmer, 'Spurs 8st-odd inside He took . It up because his close friend, Sid McClellan, advised him it would put muscle

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Says Tommy ruefully: "I cat like a 'horse...throw weights

Derby County manager Stuart McMillan does not pull Towers saved his bonuses and punches when he discusses

"A lot of my youngsters," he says, "have developed a lazy Business rivals include two attitude to the game. They don't petition starts far too early," he stylish player I've seen," says members of the Torquay board fight for the ball. They have said, "The grounds are difficult "He blames it on the fact that pleasant. i lot of youngsters are appren-

ticed to outside trades. These boys know that if they Say it with fruit that's an fail to make the grade they have Spanish custom. For always got a job to fall back Good humour is almost as instance, oranges arriving in on. He adds: "The ultimate "Valencia FC-Spanish foot- got."

> Bristol Rovers and Cardiff City have accepted an invitation Who is the ideal club man? to play an evening match in the president, on May 4.

NO WHOOP OF DELIGHT

Calling John Hewie, of Charlton, Your old South African club, Arcadia, say your suspension is Leith. So great a bargain did he ended and you will be reinstated on your return to South Africa. Don't expect the Charlton back to give whoops of delight The It only means he will then have

nothing again. The Northern Transvaal Football Association suspended Ledger Ritson was a name Hewie for two years when he

permission. Can inside forwards of today measure up to the stars of the But in 1948 Ritson broke his past? Listen to Charlton

Stephenson, and Harry Chambers Ritson is now one of Orient's for my place. And at times the

Walthamstow in a plastics those days you could have a pick from Charlie Buchan, David Jack, and Billy Walker. If any of these were playing today the can always tell if a player is worries."

> Brentford plan to keep their during the close season by mined he was injured! arranging theatre visits and

Half-back Jimmy Dudley and Trevor Smith, Neil Bailey, John injured,' would be the captain's centre forward Ronnie Allen are Hyde, Ian Coutts-in the art of order." ready to take on all comers. Soccer playing ready for clash on May 4.

The game is under Soccer

Bob is to referee the match. When you're arguing about the

several trophics to prove it.

international inside forward will while playing for Cork Athletic in a vital match I think the big children gone. Ireland Cup game,

BUT IT CAN'T BE ! IVE STILL !

-(London Express Service)

Barry Applely

St. Mirren Manager Wants A New Tournament By ROBERT RUSSELL

St Mirren are one of the clubs hit worst by early exit from the Scottish Cup....and the fact that they have done well but not well enough in the League. They are without Cup interest, Championship hopes—or excitement-building relegation fears.

Anxiously contemplating the future, Paisley manager Bobby Rankine said to me: "It is time the Scottish Cup and League competitions were overhauled to make certain that interest is maintained until April."

Mr Rankine's solution is that the Scottish Cup should not be started until the League competition is ended.

· He wants to see League Cup competition followed by the full League programme, then the Cup; or, alternatively, half of the League programme, the League Cup (with no mid - week matches), the second half of the his League matches, then the Cup.

STARTS TOO EARLY

"I think the Scottish Cup comand spectating conditions un-

"If the Cup was started in the end of March or the beginning of April when the League and League Cup competitions are ended, it would make certain that spectators' interest would be maintained much longer.

"St. Mirren, with only one postponed game to play, will finish their programme on April

"I think the argument for starting the Cup competition in January as a reviver of the flagging League interest is out of date.

"Standards have become so | level that even though the Championship may be decided early-and that-certainly does not apply recently—relegation is always in doubt. And who-goesdown is a very live issue. "But St Mirren have not even

that attraction to offer their supporters until the end of the

"There is no use saying that when nothing is at stake the standard of play will improve. Perhaps it will. But the supporters will not be interested,

Though the injury to Jacky Nellson may have been partly responsible for Aberdeen's knock-out blow and St Mirren's worry, Mr Rankine is still an "In my England days I had to out-and-out campaigner against

NOT IN PRACTICE

"It is a good theory, but it benefit of £750—and how many Leyton with his wife and scouts have ever received that family, works at neighbouring parting present?

Keenest Innoverse to inside-left as an experiment. would never work in Scotland in practice," he said. "It would be continuously abused—even by continuously abused—even St Mirren!

> "After 15 minutes a manager McMillan is a "Jack of all England selectors would have no going to have a bad game. It would be the simplest thing to order him to feign injury. Not even a doctor could declare "happy family" spirit alive player was fit if he was deter-

"I do not even believe that i When they are not too busy outings to the coast. The players is practical to permit substitute playing Chelsea in the Cup the are making weekly contributions goalkeepers - though there is perhaps argument for that. Could you imagine what would be the Several first-team men pedal Bob Dennison, Northampton's reaction of a skipper, after his Rugby international Don White, goals? 'For goodness sake get

Mr Rankine did not agree Northampton Rugby - Soccer that the absence of substitutes spoiled the game as a spectacle If a number of players were rules with a Rugby ball ... and injured. He felt that even the the Rugger boys are so unxious spectators would abuse the to win that they sought allowing of substitutes. They would barrack a player having a in direct opposition to the and an exciting struggle between bad game so incessantly that he written word, is Mr D. made Captain Hook and the clockwould be glad to receive a rather a fearsome creature,- swallowing croc. were two of broken legi

fastest man in Soccer don't over- pointed out that . it was not in fact, not so very different from squeamish any unpleasant aslook Sid McClellan, 'Spurs utility always the "ten men" who were the looks off Captain Hook him- sociation of beaten. He recalled how St self? Weight-lifter Sid can do the Mirren, in a pre-war Cup tie 100 yards in evens....and has at Dunfermline, lost John McMenemy (of Motherwell make it infra dig. For him to fame) a few minutes after the crawl, penitent, into Nana's Raich Carter, former England start. Yet Saints won. "Even though Jacky Neilson's -when he and Mrs D. return

earn approximately 10s a minute handlesp was a severe blow to us in the next II weeks....he has issue which Scottish football been guaranteed £500 for ten officials have to solve is the League appearances plus £50 reorganisation of the League and for the first round of the FA of Cup competition," said Mr Rankine.

-(London Express Service)

FERRARI TRIUMPH



The finish of the second big International Automobile race of the season in Buenos Aires shows Guiseppe Farina of Italy, finishing first, with Luigi Villoresi second. The British driver, Hawthorn, was third. They were all driving Italian Ferrari cars,-Express Photo.

* * A SEAT IN THE STALLS * *

Too Little Time In The Never-Never

SUE DAWSON

"Mummy, why wasn't Mr Darling tall and thin like | it says in the book?" This happened to be the first thing I heard in the cinema foyer as we emerged from a fantastic hour in the Never-Never Land of "Peter Pan." Mummy, probably practised at it, no doubt gave some resourceful excuse to cover up the inexactitudes of a disillusioning grown-up world.

But it is still puzzling. Why, I Nana's scene at the beginning, plump, swarthily black haired the funniest. And the St Mirren boss and whiskered, noisily florid and, thoughtfully

Perhaps It is that this new chasing the whole crew off into 'screen personality' of his would the sunset. kennel—as he does in the story from their party to find the

Walt Disney decrees that the canine Nana should just simply forgive him, and leave it at that. Nana is perfectly delightful., She, more than half of one's two. the jealous Tinkerbell, the Crocodile, Captain Hook and Disney obligingly fills the other Schmee are my favourites on the half as well with a film of a very Disney screen, for they fit in different sort. with one's earliest conception of them and seem to be exactly as

ney Redskins, a bunch of cutions—
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ed pirates who surround wicked
Captain Hook occasionally, the
Lost Boys—a passable crowd, but
not as lovable as they could
have been — and some very
spiteful mermaids.

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March 2, at 5.45 p.m.

pirates, crocodile and dinner by

A surprisingly little time was spent in the Never-Never Land, which brings , me to the chief comment of all-that what there is of this film is enchanting, but there wasn't enough of it.

THE OTHER HALF

"Peter Pan!" takes certainly not hours in the Theatre, but Walt

. It is about the lives of those Sir James Barrie meant them graceful creatures who inhabit Sir James Barrie meant them to be.

Peter was alright too, and John and Michael, who is the cutest of them all, but they made Wendy a triffe too nagging. And everyone forgot to build Wendy her house in the wood, with its little roof of mossy green and the big doorknocker!

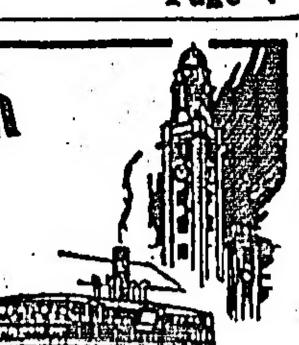
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He said that the site and the plete the 600 houses before the time."

"The city, cannot; afford them building plans were ready to and will be unable to run them swing into action. He estimated properly," he said. "If we have that it would take between 18 to choose between the Games months and two years to com- and jobs, I will take jobs every

> Premier, Mr John Cain, who is actively aponsoring the Games, refused to comment on Mr Lovegrove's outburst. Mr Cain has, in the meantime, authorised architects to draw up plans for an Olympic swimming pool at Fawkner Park—United Press.

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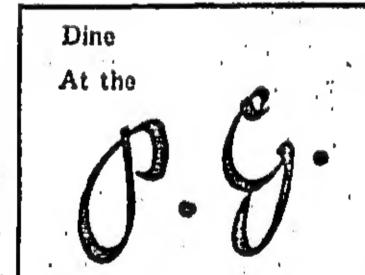


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Now York, Feb. 26. Prices of No. 1 subber futures closed today 50 higher to 5 lower with sales totalling 42 contracts. Dealers covering in nearby deliverles dominated the futures trading. The spot 'market was dull and quick. Prices closed as 10110%s:-

Tuly 27.10 bid September 20.80 bid December 20.55 nominal March 26.55 nominal —United Press.

LONDON MARKET

London, Feb. 26. Prices of rubber futures closed today as follows:--Number 1 rubber, in pence per 1b.

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CHRYSLER **AUSTRALIA**

. Melbourne, Feb. 26. The President of the American Chrysler Motors Export Corporation, Mr C. B. Thomas, announced here today that his company, would double its present investment in Australia to US\$10,000,000.

Exchange Rates

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| Sing sieps (per 100) 3540 | Claim that there is a strong and enco on American dollar ex| Hongkong and Shanghal Bank established the Bank's position 17 cents of the strong and strong and

MARITIMES Tribute To Sir Arthur ROMERIES Meeting Morse

(Continued from Page 4)

to be feared that there will be situation is in some respects for the year show that imports difference becomes only too pains commendations. The lower commendations. The lower prices of ten and rubber have been largely responsible for the important plantation areas are held and administered by turning a surplus of its, 342 the exceeded exports by no less fully evident between a bank that imports difference becomes only too pains exceeded exports by no less fully evident between a bank the important plantation areas are held and administered by turning a surplus of its, 342 the exceeded exports by no less fully evident between a bank than 60%. Her problem of increasing exports deserves its customers interests, takes sympathetic consideration but into account the prevailing unturning a surplus of its, 342 millions into an adverse trade of the Associated States: the balance of Rs. 205 millions new rice crop is promising and the difficulty reduce and gives time to its customers, her dollar imports and increase and another bank which, withof Ceylonisation are being indicate unjustifiable discrimination on the part of certain Government departments.

THAILAND Thoiland has had a quiet year in the political sphere in spite of rumblings of discontent. In commercial and banking circles regarding which it is not easy there has been some dissatis- to sum up the political and building at Osaka is proceeding promptly acted in accordance to the policy of the Government, words. There are many ups and For instance the appreciation of downs, shades and colours, in the tical against sterling by the scene. The fall in the price lowering the import rate a year of rubber and other agriculago had a bad effect on the ex- tural products of the country in port market; and the increase conjunction with adverse interin rice prices, while rubber nal factors has made the finanprices have fallen, has seriously cial situation of the Government affected the livelihood of work- an uneasy one. I foresee many ers on the plantations in South difficulties for Indonesia before

tion in rice available for export production and of taking full in 1952 proved unfounded as advantage of the wealthy reshipments were only about 120,- sources of the country. A num-000 tons less than in 1951, which | ber of agricultural and other was a record year, while 200,000 commodities are still being protons are estimated to be carried duced in quantities well below in stocks. Hopes of greater rice pre-war standards. Rice, sugar production are attached to the and coal particularly come to important Chainad Dam barrage mind. However the character scheme which is proceeding and quality of some of the steadily and will eventually highest officials in the country irrigate a larger area of land is a good omen for the future suitable for cultivation. This is it they can overcome the many one of the ambitious public difficulties which surround them. works now proceeding—some I was, for instance, much imhave been newly started and pressed with specches made at some are in continuation of the 125th anniversary of the work commenced in the last few Javasche Bank. If the wisdom years, such as the Bangkok Port and foresight expressed on that scheme, a hydro-electric plant occasion can be carried forward project, the provision of new to the new Bank Indonesia railway equipment and exten- which is about to replace These developments are being outlook for the financial future back as far as I can, or even financed partly under the United of Indonesia will be more farther, will agree. The credit States Mutual Security Agency | promising. programme and partly by the World Bank.

BURMA

more rapid improvement. first popularly

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Justice, has also taken office.

session of the new Parliament, prospect promising. This Act took effect on July 1st in the Union Bank on Govern- be cancelled out. ment account. Although the note circulation- and commercial

with technical advice and finan- the development, of hydro- Bank well. cial support from United States electric power plants.

INDO-CHINĂ

importance of Indo-China is widely regarded as of the first imposed, some of which seem to importance in East Asia to the democratic camp, and since this is so, we are unlikely to see any deterioration, but rather we have grounds for hoping that the optimists will be right.

INDONESIA Indonesia is another country the utmost importance. economic situation in a few the country gets on to a steady Fears of a considerable reduc- basis. The problem is one of highway construction, the Javasche Bank, the Chinese friends who can look

PHILIPPINES Philippines there has been more including very notably our presuccess in the past year in sent Governor, Sir Alexander the years, and the vital con-As regards Burma, although dealing with the Hukbalahap Grantham. But perhaps the there is some disappointment at insurgents. The movement ap- Bank can claim, a little credit the slow rate of the restoration pears to be waning although it for some of Hongkong's comof internal security and of has not yet been eliminated mercial progress. I could say economic advancement, progress and outbursts of violence may much about many of my prehas nevertheless been made and well arise from time to time. decessors but my recollections discontents considerable atten- burn, whose death in 1943 One noteworthy feature has tion has recently been directed while he was in the hands of to proposals for the reform of the Japanese, came as such a elected land tenure and allied matters, severe shock to all connected The Hardle report on this sub- with the Bank and with Hongject spensored by the Mutual kong. Security Agency gave rise to keen controversy. But the necessity for early action is A further important event widely agreed and the recent kong, that I was called upon to

when the Union Bank became in copra and hemp markets were the war years from many dedoors on December 31st last, nevertheless a considerable of England, I also gratefully Alexander Grantham and adopted without change. A penditure in the Philippines been effected in a period when feature of the financial position during the year the visible at first the outlook was quite is the increasingly large deposits adverse balance will probably obscure, then surprisingly im-

JAPAN: banks' deposits have changed regained her full sovereignty supported by the Staff of the little, Government deposits are after more than six and a haif Bank to whom I must pay due now nearly 45% of the total years of Occupation. Now tribute, from managers down to supply of money. The useful em- Japan is directing her policies the most junior local employee, General Meeting of this Bank ployment of these idle deposits as she sees fit subject only to My long experience encourages t would considerably assist the the inhibitions and restrictions me to assert that there are few honour and pleasure. Today, economic recovery of the count with which she is obliged to banks or commercial concerns in comply as a partner in the anti- the East or anywhere else which honour, but the pleasure The Government has an eight communist world. Japanese can have had such loyalty and would normally feel is marred year programme for large scale officials are already established support from their staff. Way- by one sad circumstance, I refer development of the country and in all the important capitals of foong has always prided itself of course to the impending American technical assistance the world and her bankers and on treating its staff well, and departure on retirement of Sir has been obtained to make de- merchants are to be found they have responded in a way Arthur and the fact that this is tailed investigations as to how everywhere searching for ne- which calls for the thanks of the last occasion on which he best to proceed. The possible commodation and for business, all shareholders.

Yet there is no little nervousness about. Japan's political, It is dimeult to decide what commercial and mancial futitre. C.B.E., in seconding, said: line to take about the political Her internal political problems

expected to participate jointly. Owing to the large deficit with this shown himself to be an which the Government is at object and energetic administration be feared that there will be and energetic administration be feared that there will be an interest in the economic tor. Furthermore the economic torustation and the restrictions already of securities drops, then the feared that there will be a feared that there is no practical to be an a feared that there is no practical to be deficit. Japan's sterling difference between one bank and the trade deficit. Japan's sterling difference between one bank and the feared that there is no practical to be an a feared that the feared tha rubber production is satisfac- her sterling imports propor- out consideration or remorse, tory, while coal output is ex- tionately, which might lead to simply sells out the security pecied to increase. The strategic some relaxation of the sterling hypothecated to recoup its area restrictions. **OBVIOUS NEED**

market is of course obvious, and plays fair by you if you play the reverse applies to China, fair by the Bank." but under present political Such was the reputation of conditions Japan is likely to the Bank more than a generacontinue to restrict shipments tion ago and this reputation for of many types of goods and the fair dealing with its customers opening of other markets is of has been proudly maintained I am glad to say that our new

rapidly and we hope to be in with my father's admonition. occupation before the autumn. Many of you are aware that

London Office exactly forty-one speech has always been hailed as long period, including thirty- the year, not only locally, but eight years out East, however internationally. This is not an easier time free from the Bank occupies old friends.

first landed in Hongkong in areas covered by the temptation as this is not the but I will just say that the most notable transformation that has taken place in the territories where we operate has been here in Hongkong, as I feel sure that some of our distinguished for Hongkong's progressiveness must go in the main to a suc-It is satisfactory that in the cession of farsighted Governors

TRIBUTE TO STAFF It was on December 18th 1941. just before the fall of Hongwas the passing of the Union open support given by the serve as Acting Chief Manager

Bank of Burma Act at the first Defence Secretary makes the in London and it is with real gratitude that I think of the During the past year the ready assistance I received in for another year's excellent re-

> proved and more recently again. perplexing, but not unpromising. On April 28th 1952 Japan All this time I have also been

1500 @ 2112 establishment of a hydro electric The outstanding Japanese I have no hesitation whatplant, the development of the pre-war Loans have been seever in commending to you Kalewa Coal Mines and other settled on terms satisfactory to my successor as Chief Manager. 400 @ 23.00 mining projects are amongst the most bondholders, and Japan has Mr M. W. Tumer, who is already time the work on the rehabilita- International Monetary Fund and making his mark in Hongkong brevity, to relate the manifold tion of the sea ports, especially the World Bank from which she in the last few years. I am con- and outstanding public services Rangoon, is proceeding rapidly is now seeking a large loan for fident that he will serve the which Sir Arthur has performed

SECONDER'S SPEECH and economic situation in Indo- are not, however, likely to have hearly 40 years ago, my late China. There are many gloomy serious external reactions, Her father spoke to me about The East. But I venture to think prophots and yet a considerable commercial outlook is gloomy Hongkong and Shanghal Bank. that there has been no previous propriets and yet a considerable because it has been so seriously What he said to me has remained Chief Manager who has had to valls in knowledgeable circles, affected by the restrictions im- vividly in my memory ever direct and guide — with such The pessimists see no end in posed by countries upon whom since, and the wisdom of his conspicuous success—the Bank's Before returning to the United Business was done in the local sight to the civil war she is dependent for a large remarks has been proved time affairs fluring such an important and have no confidence in proportion of her trade-particu- and again to my personal know- and difficult period as that some by are, no said that the following rates:—

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with American materials, which | nection with the Korean war | view, in time of good trade and advances. In my long experience I have always found that The Japan's need for the China Hongkong and Shanghal Bank

since.

I need scarcely say that I UNDISPUTED POSITION

"TJIWANOI"

"TAIPONDOK"

"TABMAN"

"STRAAT SOENDA" Mar. 3

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Since those early days, I have I am handing over the reins its either listened to or read in the a few days time and that this press the next day the addresses is the last occasion on which idelivered annually at the Annual I shall preside at one of our General Meeting of shareholders Annual Meetings. I joined our of this Bank. The Chairman's years ago today. After such a an important pronouncement of much one may look forward to surprising because, as the hurly-burly of daily banking, commanding and undisputed inevitably one gets a sense of position in the Far East which nostalgia and of real sadness at has become such a focal point breaking away from many old in international affairs, its associations and leaving many Chairman's annual review of its activities in retrospect, and his It is tempting, as one looks appreciation and pregnosticaback, to start to make a cata- tion of the business and

logue of the changes which have | economic situation in the imtaken place since the days when | mediate future of the various 1915, but I must resist the activities, necessarily compel worldwide attention. It can right occasion for reminiscences, with truth be said that our annual gathering is more than a mere General Meeting of the shareholders of the Bank. It has grown into an institution of international importance. I claim no originality in my remarks; indeed they have been

the theme of many a seconder who has preceded me. And another recurring theme of seconders has of course been the continuous and steady progress of our Bank which has grown in stature and strength with tribution which it has made towards the welfare and prosperity of the Colony.

APPRECIATION

If I may say so, the speech to considering all the difficulties it As a basic measure of dealing are particularly vivid and polg- which we have just listened is would be a mistake to expect with this and other agricultural nant about Sir Vandeleur Gray- in accordance with the high annual speech both as masterly review of world events and world tendencies from the point of view of business and commerce, and as a sober statement of the Bank's progress. To say more than this would be superfluous, I therefore content myself with expressing, on behalf of all the shareholders, our appreciation of the good work of the Chief Manager, the Board of Directors and the Staff

effect a Central Bank. The badly depressed and although partments of His Majesty's. I feel sure they would like to Burma Currency Board has been the sugar crop was an im- Government and especially from associate themselves with your absorbed and finally closed its provement on 1951 there was the Colonial Office and the Bank tributes to, our Governor Sir The Burma rupee is now termed decline in the total value of rectal the forbearance of the high officers of Government a Kyat which is divided into exports in the year. However, shareholders of the Bank in mentioned by you. If I may smaller units under the decimal tightened controls reduced im- those dark days when it was say so, Sir, your confident comsystem. Although the Kyat no ports by over Pesos 100 millions | impossible to see far ahead and | mendation of Mr M. W. Turner longer has a fixed statutory so that the final figures are hazardous to plan for the future, as your successor is no surprise value in terms of sterling, the likely to show a not greatly in- I trust that they have not to the shareholders. He has parities of the previously es- creased trade deficit. Thanks to been, disappointed with the impressed all those who have tablished exchange rates were United States Government ex- post-war results which have been privileged to come into contact with him with his outstanding courtesy and churm, extend to him our good wishes in the discharge of the heavy and responsible task which lies

Anyone, who is privileged to second the principal resolution from the Chair at an Annual cannot but feel a sense of am indeed conscious of the addresses us as Chairman.

SIR ARTHUR'S SERVICE

to the Colony, There have been in the past great and even legendary Chief Managers of The Hon, Sir Man Kam Lo, the Bank such as Sir Thomas Jackson who in the years 1876-On my return to Hongkong 1902 established the high reputation of the Bank in the

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in World War II. And in some respects he went further: It can I think be claimed that he played a prominent part in re-building Hongkong as well. He did this by the bold policy he adopted in financing the re-establishment of kong's utility services and inwould almost certainly have been unable to present remarkable stage of rubber, from small holdings in Sir Jackson was compared with Clive of India and with Swettenham of Malaya but perhaps were being taken to encourage there is no need to seek such comparisons in the case of Sir ber. Arthur Morse. He would, feel sure, prefer to be known sold that the fall in production as Morse of Hongkong. And I reflected a fall in price. Smalldo not think there has been any previous Chief Manager who has thrown himself more wholeheartedly into the Colony's

LEAVES A VOID By virtue of his wholehearted

affairs than Sir Arthur.

support of and devotion to all worthwhile 'projects, he created for himself such a place in the community that his departure will leave a void, in the literal es woil as the metaphorical sense of this word, which it would be indeed difficult to fill. And on your behalf as shareholders and, if I may do so, as a member of the public, on behalf of the public, I extend to Sir Arthur and Lady Morse our best This is not the occasion, and wishes for their happiness, today. Turnover was 75 tons I have certainly not the right, health and prosperity. If I may including five tons for eash. 2000 w 23 lb plans under consideration. Mean- been accepted as a member of the known here and who has been to attempt, with however a strike a more personal note, I Prices closed at the end of the do this with all the wermth of official morning session as folone who has known Sir Arthur lows:since his yourg days when we played tennis against one another in league matches. With these few remarks, Sir, I beg formally to second the repolution which has been proposed from the Chair.

Copra Quotation

Copra was quoted today at change session;-

London, Feb. 26. Secretary, was asked if he was reach the aware that the production of Malaya dropped in 1952 by 30,000 tons compared with 1951. He was also asked what steps smallholders to cultivate rub-

Mr' N. T. Awbery (Labour) holders were being helped financially and technically to replant trees giving high yields and improved quality of rubber.

Mr Awbery urged that smallholders should be given a cooperative system to assist them in the same way as the large plantations.

To this Mr Lyttelton replied that special arrangements had been made to help the small planter.—Reuter.

LONDON TIN

The tin market was very steady

Settlement 900 -United Press.

NY Stock Exchange New York, Feb. 20...

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1953.

Years & 12 Strokes

Convicted of assault with Intent to rob, Lam Yuk-on was pentenced to four years and ordered to receive 12 strokes of the cane by Judge Scholes at to visitors. About the pre- later in the day they called at the Hongkong District Court this cincts of the barrack-like Margaret's home, where they morning:

Mr Simon Li, Crown Counsel, prosecuted.

not in custody, assaulted Lau Kwai-yin, Manager of the West-orn Theatre, in Water Street on December 26, 1952, at 10 p.m., bleak masks of melanchole and bend to meet a may in the street, bought these things from the condition of the patients they had been to see or were about to visit. Some wore bleak masks of melanchole and bleak mas December 26, 1952, at 10 p.m., bleak masks of melancholy and D length, and with even by rubbing pepper into his eyes. in the eyes of some there was greater indignation, next morn-Following the assault, they at- despair. The faces of others ing, when she was charged betempted to rob him of his brief- were lit with the wonder of fore Colonel W. E. Batt, at the

while complainant was waiting for a bus near the junction, of French Street and Queen's Road West, on the morning of December 26, he felt someone's hands over his eyes, rubbing pepper gled and shouted for help.

His two assailants ran away passer-by witnessed the assault pram-shelter the hospital pro- was, at 28, now the mother of and was instrumental in effecting vided, and dart into the road, three young children and the the arrest of the defendant,

Traces of pepper had been ings-rugs or blankets, or found on complainant's clothing given by Mr Edwards Collins, woman, who had spotted the probation officer might make to her wounded pride. Government Chemist.

charge at the first hearing and reached it the other woman, I shown back into the tlock; furious, and the whole world alleged he had signed a con- whom she had recognised as and it was clear at once that seemed hardly large enough to fession under duress.

JOHN CLARKE'S CASEBOOK

when the big hospital ture. The police were quickly told in the East End was open of what had happened, and

though most were silent, there worth of pram or cot equipwas a noisy nucleus of the al- ment. most professional sick-visitors, who chatted and conducted and at the end of it Colonel

they had seen. Into them. Complainant strug- AS one group of visitors was A about to leave, one among She had once before been in them saw a small, dark-haired trouble, for robbing woman slip quickly from a mother's gas-meter. She herself carrying what looked like a wife of a lorry-driver who bundle of perambulator furnish- carned £6 a week.

> blankets, or shawls. other. "She's taken some things further inquiries about her. from my pram." She ran for the the gate, but by the time she IN due course, Margaret was grey streets, and she was still

Better for Less at

WEEK ONLY

From Monday, 2nd to Saturday, 7th March.

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was the time of day inway and quite beyond recap-

found the pram equipment she came and went or waited in groups.

| Duilding men and women had been seen to run off with. "I never took it," Margaret sald indignantly. "Just hap-On the faces of the crowd, pened to meet a lady in the

newly restored; and Thames Court, with stealing £2

The story was told in full, with great relish metaphorical Batt found Margaret guilty, post-mortems on the patients and expressed his opinion that she was both a liar and a

Her life story was sketched.

When this much had, been

one called Margaret, was well her indignation, having fed contain her anger.

upon itself in the intervening week, was now outsize. She pristled with anger, and could hardly hold herself in check as the probation officer, addressing the magistrate, declared that though Margaret had at first proved rather difficult to deal with, she yet might prove a suitable subject for probation.

This seemed too much for Margaret who burst out: like to say something." She rounded on the magistrate and zaid: "Last week you called me

a thief and a liar...."
"I still call you that," magistrate said equably. "I want to know why . that man came to our house, with a warrant," Margaret said, and shot a look of fury at the detective who had arrested her. "I want to know what right he had to come and"

66T'M not going to argue with you," said the magistrate, you can go on probation or go

garet snapped, as though were doing the court the greatest possible favour."But I to light and air of others. never stole nothing, see?" "And you can put that in your pipe and smoke it," said her tone. "This way," the gaoler said. Margaret turned to leave. On her way she tried to buttonho.e the detective: "Hey," she said. "I want a word with you."

DUT the detective shook his head, and bestowed on told, the magistrate remanded her a faint smile that must "Hey, stop her," cried the Margaret on bail, so that the have been like salt rubbed in-Presently, Margaret left court and went off into

Ancient Continues

Numerous legal authorities and law reports were anoted from at the Full Court of Appeal this morning by Mr Brook A. Bernacchi, Counsel for the appellants in the appeal case involving the legal theory of "ancient lights".

Mr Bernacchi referred the Court to cases where the parties concerned had been granted in-"I'll go on probation." Mar- junctions restraining others from erecting structures which, he sold, interfered with the rights

The appeal, heard by Sir Gernrd Howe, Chief Justice, and Mr Justice C. W. Reece, Puisne Judge, was brought against the judgment of Mr Justice E. H. Williams, who in August last year dismissed the plaintiffs' (appellants') motion for an injunction to prevent the erection of a new building in Duddell

The appellants are Foo Kamshing, Foo Ko-shi and Lee Pak-hung, executors and executrix and trustees of the estate of the late Foo Sik. In their original motion, they

asked for an order for a perpetual injunction to restrain the Local Printing Press, Ltd., the respondents, from building a six-storey building south of and adjoining the former Bank of China Building in Duddell

Appearing with Mr Bernacchi for the appellants are Mr Oswald V. Cheung, both of whom are instructed by Mr R. F. G. Dennis of Brutton and Company.

The Local Printing Press, Ltd., are represented by Mr John McNelli, QC, and Mr D.A. L. Wright, both instructed by Mr P.A.L. Vine of Deacons. QUOTES PRINCIPLE

Continuing his submissions from the day before, Mr Berneechi told the Court that, where a lease is granted for a specific purpose, the non-derogation of principle operates to prevent that purpose from being injuriously affected by something subsequently done on the adjoining land.

Quoting from a legal authority in support of his contention, Counsel said it was quite clear that this principle not only applied to the actual lessor but US\$40. derived through that lessor.

"If you give a man the right to build on a piece of land," he went on, "you must not only give him access to that land, but also the right to air on the land," he also the right to air on the land, also the right to air on the land

Asked by the Court his opinion as to whether or not the other party seeking to build a structure on land next to the first man is entitled to do so, Mr Bernacchi submitted that, as soon as the Crown granted the first party permission to erect a house, that particular spot for the time being came under Crown lease and became entitled to all the rights of the Crown.

SUBJECT TO RIGHTS

In this particular case, he continued, the land next door

having been purchased after the date of the original lease of the plaintiffs' property, it must be subject to the rights of the plaintiffs' in respect of the first

Mr Bernachi said that was the reason why one found in this city so many tiny lanes separating many buildings from one another.

After putting forward further legal submissions, in respect of which he quoted from authorities, Counsel said the position was that, on the completion of the respondents structure on the land next to the appellants, the whole of the south side of the building would be completely untenable.

Hearing is continuing. Boy Indecently

Hul Ng, alias Hui Man-wah 35, was sentenced to two years hard labour by Judge R. W. S. Winter at the Kowloon District Court this morning for indecent

chief Insp. W. Apps said that the accused knew the complainant, who was a boy, as accused used to work in complainant's school. On the night of January 27, he took the boy to a movie show and later he took him up a hill behind the Yaumati Railway Station, where he committed the offence. He was ., arrested ., by ., two .. Polico corporals who saw the accused acting in a suspicious manner as he was going up the hill.

By Galbraith SIDE GLANCES



"They dumped a lot of work on top of my lotions and creams while I was out! How can anybody keep an orderly desk?"

Several requests have been received that the Fund should not be closed on February 28; owing to the fact that several events on its behalf are being

organised early in March. In response to these requests it has been decided to keep it open after the advertised closing date. The total denations received up to noon on Fearuary 28 will be remitted to the Lord Mayor's Fund on Monday, March 2. A final remittance will be made

as soon as the new closing date has been decided. Previously acknowledged: Sterling £325, 0, 0d. Australian £5.

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Mr & Mrs N. B. M. Whitley Miss N. W. W. Kwok Mr & Mrs E. J. G. Gauntlett the Superintents' Office, Steam Navigation Co., Ltd.

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Total at 11 am.

tions have been received in memory of the late Mr J. T. Burdett: Mr A. E. Nobbles Mr & Mrs A. Jillott. Mr & Mrs R. H. J. Brooks The Clerical Staff Prisons

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Living Language

Why we Say Ver-

A "verdict" is the carefully considered judgment of a number of people, not necessarily in a court of law. The word's origin implies this meaning, for it comes from the Latin words vere dictum, true saying.

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BATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28
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Slam, 4.30 p.m., Thai Airways.
Formosa, 6 p.m., C.A.T.
Japan, 6 p.m., B.O.A.C.

sented by Sally Ann (Studio)
"Stories from World History"—Flora
MacDonald (BBCTS); 6.30, Composer
Cavalcade—Rudolph Friml; 7, Time
Signal and World News (London
Relay); 7, Appeal for the Family
Welfare Society Flower Day by J.D. the Hongkong Family Welfare
Society (Studio): 7.15. Talking about
Hongkong by Dr S. G. Davis and
Rev. Father T.F. Ryan. (Recorded):
7.30. Tip Top Tunes presented by
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chosen by Listeners in their requests:

many girls there were. Since each Bonus

The China Provident Loan & Mortgage Co., Ltd., profit for the year ending December 31, 1952 is, subject to audit, 31,252,771.

At a meeting of the Directors held today it was decided to dechare a dividend and bonus of \$1,70 per Old Share and a pro

Decisions Newsman Discusses Far East Situation

This is a year of big decisions and major changes current world affairs, said Mr Larry Allen, Associated Press correspondent Indo-China, on his arrival here this morning from San Francisco in the ss President Cleveland.

The famous "Pulltzer Prize" correspondent, who was recently decorated by the French Army with the Croix do Guerre for his objective reporting of the Indo-China war, is returning to Hanol after spending four weeks in the United States on furlough: "An invasion of either Hongkong or Indo-China by the Chinese Communists would touch off World War III." Mr pointed out. But he added: "The recent do-neutrallsation of Formosa will deter the Reds from making such plans on Indo-China."

HR'S POSITION Mr Allen thought that it was not likely the Chinese Communists would attack Hongkong should Nationalist forces from Formosa invade the Mainlanti. "Hongkong is in an interesting and critical position today. People in America are anxious over this city," he added.

Mr Allen believes that the United States will take some kind of action "in the line of blockeding, the China Cosat." "The United States is prepared to take reasonable risk of an open war with the Reds," he replied to a query whether

an American blockade would endanger the world. In the United States, the correspondent disclosed, people consider the Korcan War as the world's No. I trouble spot. "Indo-China is second," he add-

Government **Appointments**

The following Government appointments were gazetted

Mr Lawrence Leong, Barristerto be permanent magistrate: Mr Kenneth Strathmore Kinghorn, to be a Labour Officer: Mr Geoffrey Denois Binstead, to be an Assistant Director of Commerce and Industry: Mr Northam Lawrence to act as Assistant Director, Royal Observatory during the absence of Mr Leonard Star-

Mr Samuel Tedford Kidd to be a member of the Port Welfare Committee, vice Mr Dennis Compbell Bray. Mr Osmund Skinner and Ma

George Osbourne Wauchope Stewart as unofficial Justices of the Peace for the Colony of Malaya, Indonesia Ceylon, Middle Firmos, and Captain Richard Curling Lewis, RN, to be members of the Port Committee for a Macoo, 130 p.m.; 6 p.m., as Lee period of one your.

Fire-Hydrant

A traffic accident occurred outside the Detention, Barracks in Gardon Roc'd at about 7.20 this morning when a private car smashed head-on into a fire-20.00 Radio Hongkong hydrant to avoid a young boy student crossing the road.

The driver of the car, a Humber Hawk, was not injured, but the nearside head lemp and mudguard were extensively damaged. A front tyre was also

number of sixpences paid out must equal the number of life creams eaten, multiplied by one less than the number of girls. Now 64 sixpences were paid out; i.e., four in respect of each ice cream eaten; so there were five girls.

Now we can accertain how many than two; no two Kirls ate the same respectively; there is no other molution. Bylvin ate seven ico creams and therefore gets 14 sixpences, 1.c. London Express Service.

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